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How the Political Game is Played in the Postal Departments.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—President Wilson and the national administration were criticised today for attack on civil service at the opening sessions of the annual convention of the National Civil Service Reform Association in the Hotel La Salle.

In the report of the league's council made by Robert D. Jenks of Philadelphia and in an address by Richard Henry Dana of Boston, president of the league, charges of evasion of merit rule in the Federal service were made.

President Wilson, Vice-President Marshall and Postmaster-General Burleson were named personally as aides in the assaults on civil service.

THE ALLEGATIONS.

Here are the charges made against the national administration:

The deputy collectors of internal revenue and deputy marshals were taken out of civil service.

That Postmaster-General Burleson openly solicits recommendations of Congressmen in the appointment of

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TIGHT SKIRT IS BANNED.

Fashion Decrees Plenty of Plaits for the Styles Next Spring.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TOLEDO (O.) Dec. 3.—Women are not going to wear tight skirts any more. Such is fashion's decree for next spring and summer. The makers of American styles for women have decided upon that one point and are going to confirm their decision at the twenty-fifth semi-annual convention of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Association, which will open here tomorrow. Statements made tonight are that Milady will wear a tailor-made suit with plenty of plaits on the skirt when she starts out on her Easter morning display of finery.

DOWN-AND-OUTERS ATTEND WEDDING.

WEALTHY CHICAGOAN REVERSES USUAL ORDER OF THINGS AT HIS NUPTIALS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Instead of the usual wedding audience of well-dressed, well-fed men and women, more than a score of down-and-outers were the occupants of pews in the Wabash-avenue Methodist Episcopal Church today, the invited guests of J. W. Gossard on his wedding day.

Mr. Gossard, a manufacturer, has long been interested in helping those on whom fortune has frowned, and counted them among his chief friends. Before the ceremony which united him to Mrs. Sarah L. Brown in matrimonial bonds, Mr. Gossard explained the presence of the unusual guests.

"I chose this setting," he said, "because these men are my friends. Some are sadly garbed and in want, but they are my friends and whom I love."

After reading from the Gospel of Luke, Mr. Gossard said to his guests: "Men, I am about to be married. For twenty years I have prayed to God for a faithful, loving wife, and He has given her to me. Have any of you any objections?"

"No," came a swift answer in chorus.

A wedding feast was served to the guests after the ceremony.

THE WORLD'S NEWS — THE HEART OF IT — IN TODAY'S TIMES.

EPITOMIZED, CLASSIFIED AND INDEXED.

The Foremost Events of Yesterday: (1) The Battle in Poland. (2) The Deadlock in Flanders. (3) Gutierrez's Arrival in Mexico City. (4) Riots in the European Concentration Camps. (5) Meeting of the Italian Parliament. (6) Belgian Relief Work.

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SUMMARY.

THE SKY. Partly cloudy. Wind at 5 p.m., southwest; velocity, 6 miles. Thermometer, highest, 64 deg.; lowest, 50 deg. Forecast: Unsettled; probably rain. For complete weather report see last page, Part I.

THE CITY. The Efficiency Director told the Board of Public Works how the city can save $1,120,000 annually by changes in its business administration.

Property owners taxed by the Broadway tunnel assessment are given ten years to pay. They must put their property under bond by Monday. The Hanner suit affects but one holding.

A movement was started to get 10,000 loyal Angelenos to attend the opening of the Southland's exposition at San Diego.

The mystery of an unknown man found dead hanging from a rafter at Sycamore Park was sealed with the burying of his head, which had been preserved for a year in a separate grave.

The charges of immorality in the schools fell down.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA. Classes of Pasadena's society women have been formed to knit clothing for the suffering soldiers of Europe.

Two elderly men are watching the waters at Long Beach for the bodies of their sons, believed to have committed suicide.

Twenty-five vessels docked at the harbor last month, despite the adverse shipping conditions caused by the war.

PACIFIC SLOPE. The head of a large wholesale grocery firm in San Francisco will be cited for contempt of court for refusing to say who purchased a supply of groceries loaded aboard a suspected vessel.

Blame for wreck of the Hanalei is placed on the second mate by First Officer McTeague.

Arizona liquor interests combine to fight prohibition amendment in the courts.

Besiegers of Tia Juana reported as few in numbers and poorly armed.

GENERAL EASTERN. Former President Taft advises that more power be given the President in the matter of looking after expenditures.

WASHINGTON. Secretary of the Navy Daniels insists that adequate steps are being taken to supply the United States navy with long-range torpedoes.

President Wilson is of the opinion his plan will succeed in restoring industrial peace in Colorado.

Gen. Barnett asks for 800 more men in the marine corps.

MEXICO. Provisional President Gutierrez has arrived in Mexico City and a conference is going on between Villa and Zapata with reference to the disposition of forces.

The marines who served at Vera Cruz were given a royal greeting when they arrived in Philadelphia after their experience.

THE GREAT WAR. The situation to date: Riots in the concentration camps.

Australian and New Zealand troops landed in Egypt.

The battle in Flanders.

Italian Parliament in session. Italy to remain neutral.

Portuguese reinforcements reach Angola.

Russians within firing distance of Cracow.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

The great battle between the Germans and Russians seems to be fast developing into the same sort of a deadlock as that which now obtains between the allies and the Germans in Western Europe. The news from Northern Poland is almost argumentative. For instance, this phrase: "Win or lose, the Germans must be weakened, etc." The same may be said of France, England and Russia. Win or lose, they will probably not be so strong as they now are. In Africa, however, there are signs that the deadlock may soon be broken.

Editorial Note: Readers will bear in mind, in connection with the sensitive subject of headlines over the war news, that the various dispatches are each captioned in accord with the text, as nearly as may be. These headlines are written in such fashion as will briefly and truly express the origin, character, nature and trend of the dispatch in each case. The Times (which holds itself responsible for the proper headlines, not always for the accuracy of the war news) aims to be impartial, and give all sides a fair hearing.

Tokio.

TROUBLE IN JAPAN.

Row is Started Over Kiao-Chow.

Popular Disapproval of Plan to Deliver Spoils of War to China.

Government Threatens Dissolution of the House of Representatives.

Reports of a Two Hundred Million Loan by Morgan to Yuan Shi Kai.

BY ERNEST W. CLEMENT.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

TOKIO, Dec. 3.—Political trouble is brewing in Japan. The government threatens a dissolution of the House of Representatives because of the intention of the Seiyukai party to introduce a vote of want of confidence, principally because of the alleged government policy to return Kiao-Chow to China, and its failure to gain the northern half of the Tientsin-Nanking railway.

An unconfirmed report of a loan by Morgan of $200,000,000 to China for the iron concessions throughout the entire republic is discussed by the newspapers here. They consider the plan impracticable because the other powers interested in China would not permit an exclusive monopoly of the country's resources by any single nation.

Flood.

FIVE MILLIONS OF IMMIGRANTS.

BIG INFLUX PREDICTED AS RESULT OF THE WAR.

Expert of California Immigration Board, in East to Investigate the Housing Problem, Says This State is Making Preparations to Take Care of its Quota.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—"Five million immigrants will come from Europe in two years after the war," declared Charles Henry Cheney of San Francisco, who is in Washington attending the tenth annual convention of the American Civic Association. Mr. Cheney declared this estimate was based on information furnished him by the United States Immigration Commission.

"The California Board of Immigration," said Mr. Cheney, "is preparing for ots portion of this flood of immigration which will flow into that State. For more than a year the California board has conducted investigations in Europe by experts to ascertain how many and the character of the immigrants destined for the Golden State. Active steps are being taken to meet this problem, especially with reference to housing conditions."

The chief object of Mr. Cheney's visit to the East is to conduct a thorough investigation of the housing problem for the California immigration board. After looking into the subject here, Mr. Cheney will continue his inquiry in New York.

"One of the interesting phases of the investigation by the board in California," said Mr. Cheney, "is to learn that thousands of persons in European countries before the war were looking forward to going via the Panama Canal to 'the land of gold and sunshine.'"

"CITY PLANNING" ADVOCATED.

New York Called Grievous Disappointment in Designs of its Buildings and General Ensemble.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—"City planning," as an all important factor in municipal life was discussed again today by speakers at the convention of the American Civic Association, in session here. Keen competition of commercial life and the intensity of struggles between individuals were declared responsible for many objectionable conditions existing in the larger cities.

Arnold W. Bruner referred to New York as "a grievious disappointment, irregular and disorderly, where the big and little, the expensive and the shabby stand mixed on all sides." Every favorable chance for design has been thrown away," he said, "and Times Square, Madison Square and Broadway are conspicuous instances of neglected opportunities."

George B. Ford of New York told the convention that in recent years his city had awakened to the necessity of a definite "city planning" effort and that work had now become an integral part of the work of government.

Made a Widow by the War.

Lady Richard Wellesley,

Whose husband, the second son of the fourth Duke of Wellington, has just been killed in battle. This gallant officer and descendant of England's greatest military commander, was a captain of the Grenadier Guards, in which crack regiment the Prince of Wales is now a lieutenant. Her Ladyship, who has been greatly to the fore in war relief work, was a soldier's daughter, having previous to her marriage been Louise Nesta Pamela Fitzgerald, the eldest daughter of Sir Maurice Fitzgerald, Bart. Her late husband also served in South Africa with distinction. The couple, who were married in 1908, have one daughter.

Analytic.

TURKEY'S ENTRY INTO WAR HANDICAP TO BRITISH

BY AN ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF "THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL."

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—The detention of the Australian and New Zealand detachments on the Isthmus of Suez calls attention to the extent to which the British operations are handicapped by the entry of Turkey into the war. The defense of the canal is so essential for the British that they must maintain here a garrison appreciably larger than any force that can come against them.

The fighting in France shows a slight increase in activity. The signs point to a strong reinforcement of the British forces in Belgium. The increase of operations along the French line points to a similar gain for them. The minor operations reported in tonight's dispatches may be the forerunners of more important fighting, but the developments are as yet too small to show the probable plan of campaign.

The advantage to the Germans of their large scale maneuvers in peace times in training their officers for command shows up plainly in the movements by which the army of Gen. Von Mekenzen extricated itself from its dangerous position east of Lodz. When the Russian center struck northward along the Ner River against the rear of the German army the chances seemed to favor their success in cutting off the German retreat.

On the contrary the Germans stopped this threatening move along the line between Zgierz and Scradz, and by a rapid withdrawal from their advanced position they straightened and strengthened their line. From Zdunskawola, ten miles east of Sieradz to the Vistula River west of Plock they now hold a bow shaped line well placed for reinforcing any threatened point.

GERMANS ON AGGRESSIVE.

Further to the south the Germans started a new aggressive movement. From Sieradz and Wieluna a newly strengthened army pressed forward toward Piotrjew. In two days fighting they advanced as far as Lask and Szczercow, thirty miles west of Piotrjew. The last dispatches from Petrograd claim that the Germans were defeated along this line and were driven back toward the Warthe.

This latest move on the part of the Germans shows that their whole campaign is made to fit into one general plan involving all of the forces at their disposal. The advance on Warsaw was pressed hard in the hopes of catching the Russian right flank at a disadvantage. When this project was defeated by the strong resistance, the Germans continued to press their advance in the effort to draw the Russians northward.

Time was allowed for the Russians to get well committed to their campaign near Lodz. The Germans then made a drive at the Russian center in the hopes of finding their resistance weakened at this point. The outcome of the battle at Szezecow has now checked this second stage on the German campaign.

OPERATIONS IN GALICIA.

The strength of the Russian position is indicated by the continuance of their operations in Galicia. They showed in the earlier German advance to the Vistula they would not hesitate to abandon any conquest if necessary in order to concentrate troops at the vital point. Instead of drawing in the army from Cracow to check the German invasion, the Russians have continued to make progress in Galicia. The latest dispatch claims a new advance to within ten miles of Cracow.

The Austrian capture of Belgrade and of Kosyeritz, eleven miles north of Uzice shows a gain on both flanks of their line in Servia. Their main object is now to push forward their left wing and to capture the lower valley of the Morava where the direct connections with Hungary would simplify the maintenance of their armies.

DUBLIN NEWSPAPER FORCED TO SUSPEND.

SINN FEIN PUBLISHERS, WARNED BY THE ENGLISH, TAKE THE HINT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

DUBLIN, Dec. 3.—The newspaper Sinn Fein did not appear today, the publishers refusing to print it in consequence of having been warned by the authorities that they would be liable to prosecution for the publication of treasonable matter.

This is the second step in the suppression of Irish publications, which have been opposing enlistments and expressing pro-German sentiment. The police last night raided the office of the Irish Freedom, a monthly publication, and also confiscated all copies of the paper offered for sale on the news stands.

SPOILS OF WAR.

Japanese Capture 2500 Rifles, 130 Guns and Much Other Stuff When Tsing-tao Fell.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

TOKIO, Dec. 3.—A list of the war booty captured by Japan at Tsing-tao, the German stronghold in China, was made public by army headquarters today. It includes 2500 rifles, 100 machine guns, 30 field guns, all needing repairs; a small amount of ammunition; $6000 in cash, 15,000 tons of coal, 40 automobiles and provisions sufficient to feed 5000 persons for three months. All ships in the harbor, it is announced, were destroyed.

Vision.

RUSSIANS WITHIN SIGHT OF CRACOW FORTRESSES.

Second Stop on their Proposed Journey to Breslau and Berlin.

New Battle is Developing Southwest of Lodz with Every Indication that the Deadlock in the East will be Paralleled Only by that in the West Between the Allies and the Invaders.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4, 3:30 a.m.—A Petrograd dispatch to the Morning Post says:

"The news that the Russian troops have taken Wieliczka, which is only three miles from the outer fortifications of Cracow, seems to indicate that there is something wrong with the defenses of that fortress, as Wieliczka should be well within the range of the minor armaments of a first-class fort.

"Forty prisoners, among others taken by the Cossacks at Czenstochowa, were found to be women in soldiers' uniform."

LONDON, Dec. 3, 10 p.m.—With the lull in the battle in the west which has assumed the proportions of a heavy cannonade at widely separated points, with only occasional infantry attacks, interest is now almost entirely centered in the struggle between the Russian and German posts in the east.

At last the Russians have approached within firing distance of Cracow, their steady advance from Przemysl having proceeded without any real check. They were reported today to be mounting heavy batteries around the town of Wieliczka, which they occupied yesterday and from which the outer forts of Cracow can be reached.

Important as is this—for the fall of Cracow would lay open the roads to Vienna, Breslau and Berlin—the main interest in the east continues to rest with the operations on the irregular front from Czenstochowa through Lodz and Lowicz to the East Urussian border. Officiay pronouncements as to the progress here are guarded and indefinite and it is thus difficult to arrive at a conclusion with regard to the course of events.

It is apparent, however, that a new battle has developed to the southwest of Lodz, where the Germans have formed a new line with fresh forces brought from Kalisz and are again trying to penetrate the Russian center.

The Russians, too, have had time to straighten out their line and in the eyes of the allies another battle following so closely that just concluded in this region must help them in the long run, for it is argued that win or lose, the Germans must be further weakened and in addition will soon have to turn their attention to the Russian offensive against Silesia and around Cracow.

On the other hand, German experts believe that defeat for the Russians would enable the German generals to unite all their forces for another blow agains the allies on the west.

However, the battle must last for some days and the opposing troops may be counted upon to fight with the same intensity as they did in the previous conflict when the losses in killed, wounded and missing reached enormous numbers.

There has been no news for some days of the fighting in the Caucasus or in Egypt, but throughout the whole of Africa, more liveliness is anticipated, now that Gen. Christian de Wet has been captured and Gen. Louis Botha can carry out his original plans of moving against German Southwest Africa; the first Australian and New Zealand contingents have been landed in Egypt for operations against the Turks, and Portuguese reinforcements have reached Angola to take the offensive against the Germans on their African borders.

The political event of the day was the announcement by the Premier of Italy that nothing had intervened to prompt Italy to alter her policy of neutrality.

SIX SAILORS DIE FROM EXPOSURE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—A sailor named Nielsen, the sole survivor among the seven who escaped in a boat when the Danish steamer Mary was blown up by a mine in the North Sea, on Sunday, was landed today by a trawler which picked him up Tuesday. He said his six companions died from exposure Monday. Seven of the crew of the Mary, who escaped in another boat, have been rescued.

COST OF WAR TO AUSTRALIA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

SYDNEY (Australia) Dec. 3 (via London, Dec. 4, 3:05 a.m.)—In the budget speech, the government estimates Australia's expenses in connection with the war at $58,000,000 for the present year. The speech expresses the hope "that the day is not far distant when the sister dominion of New Zealand, while maintaining her identity unimpaired, will be closer associated with Australia." The speech adds that the war probably will bring us no obligations in the Pacific.

KANSAS CITY WOMEN'S AID.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY (Mo.) Dec. 3.—A consignment of 2000 heavy flannel shirts and 7000 bandages, all made by Kansas City society women, was shipped from here today for the war sufferers in Europe.

Triennial.

MISS AMERICAN LEAVES JEWISH WOMEN'S COUNCIL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 3.—Miss Sadie American of New York, one of the founders and for almost twenty years executive secretary of the National Council of Jewish Women, severed all connection with the organization here today. The action was taken at an executive session and, it is said, caused great surprise.

Miss American made her announcement just before the convention began work on revising the constitution, one of the main objects of which was to consider curtailing powers of the executive secretary.

An announcement given out quotes Miss American as giving the reason as because of "conduct and acts" of the organization.

STORMY SESSION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS (La.) Dec. 3.—San Francisco will probably get the next triennial convention of the National Council of Jewish Women in 1917, while Mrs. Aga Goldsmith of San Francisco will be elected one of the directors tomorrow, unless some unforeseen obstacle arises between now and the time that the votes are cast Friday afternoon.

All of the western delegates, Mrs. Goldsmith, Miss Sloss of San Francisco, Mrs. Solomon Hirsch, Mrs. M. Selling and Mrs. S. M. Blumauer, took a prominent part in today's session, which was the most stormy in the history of the organization. Miss Sadie American, secretary for twenty years, resigned as a result of a crusade against her, led by Mrs. Mose Ruslander of Pittsburgh, in which many of the western delegates joined. It was said Miss American had too much power.

Prosperity.

CONDITIONS IMPROVING; BUSINESS IS BETTER.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The results of the comprehensive study of the effects of the European war on business throughout the United States, gained from the reports received from more than 600 correspondents, including Governors, Mayors, officials of unions, industrial associations, banks and building associations, will be made at the fifteenth annual meeting of the National Civic Federation, which begins here tomorrow.

The report says that conditions are improving and predicts that a further advance toward prosperity will be witnessed during the next few months.

The report was prepared by John Hays Hammond, chairman of the committee, which handled the investigation and strikes a gloomy note in speaking of the unemployed. It states that the country will be confronted this winter "by a situation which will demand extraordinary philanthropic efforts."

"The great savings institutions of New York City report that business is now altogether normal," the report says. "In Philadelphia and even in Pittsburgh, despite the severity of the depression in the iron and steel trade, the deposits of the largest savings banks have during the last month exceeded withdrawals."

Certain lines of trade have been stimulated because of orders placed by foreign nations, but the purchase of supplies by belligerent nations, "satisfies but a slight fraction of the American business world," the report states.

Berlin.

RUSSIANS ARE REPULSED AT SIEGE OF PRZEMYSL.

Fighting Progressing Actively in Alsace and Around Belfort.

Battles Continue in Passes of the Carpathians—Germans in Poland Still Continue to Press Czar's Troops. Dr. Liebknecht Votes Against War Credit Measure in the Reichstag.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN (via Sayville, L. I.) Dec. 3.—The following information was given out by the official news bureau today:

"Unofficial advices from Alsace say the fighting is progressing actively in this minor war theater. A heavy cannonading is going on in Sundgau. The Germans are making advances against Belfort.

"The Austrians report officially a repulse to the besiegers of Przyemsyl, Galicia. The garrison made a sortie against the Russians and drove the latter back out of the outer fortifications.

"Fighting continues in the Carpathian passes.

"Although no news is being received concerning operations about Lowicz, Russian Poland, itis is assumed that the German attempts to flank the Russians' right wing are continuing. The great value of such a move would consist in forcing the Russians southward away from the route toward Warsaw and into the rear of the Russian main army.

"Much depends on the progress made by the Germans and Bavarians in the front and on the enemy's left flank. So far they have maintained their positions and repulsed all attacks, but whether they have been able to advance is not yet known. The loss by Russians of 103,000 captives and many guns is considered by local critics as bound to weaken them considerably."

The democratic faction of the Reichstag today issued a statement which says that Dr. Carl Liebknecht, Socialist, in voting against the new war credit which was approved by the Reichstag yesterday, acted against party discipline, as especially reiterated in case of the war-credit measure.

Dr. Liebknecht was the only member of the Reichstag voting against the proposition. The statement expresses the deepest regret over the occurrence, which it is said will be investigated further.

Failing.

BARON FEARS BREAKDOWN.

AMERICAN HELD IN LONDON IN SERIOUS CONDITION.

San Francisco Citizen Who has been Imprisoned Three Months by British Authorities on Suspicion of Being a Spy, in Dread of His Brain Givng Out.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Although a week has passed since Secretary of State Bryan cabled Ambassador Page that the British government be asked to release Baron Louis von Horst, an American citizen, who has been a military prisoner near London for the past three months, no inkling of England's attitude in the matter has reached E. Clemens Horst, his brother, who is a San Francisco hop grower.

According to a letter received by Mr. Horst from his brother today, imprisonment in the British detention camp has impaired the baron's physical condition so seriously as to cause fears of a mental breakdown.

"I am weary," the letter says, "and I fear every night when I go to bed that I will go mad in the night. I have a constant horror that my brain will give out. I have been detained eleven weeks, during which time the authorities have had ample time to clear up every suspicion against me. I hope they will not inflict still further suffering upon me, as it is clearly ruining my health."

In a letter written by Parker Garrett, London attorney for E. Clemens Horst, to Basil Thompson, assistant commissioner of criminal investigation at Scotland Yard, a copy of which reached San Francisco today, the writer says:

"It appears that not only has the release of the baron been recommneded by the camp doctor on the ground of his failing health, but that, since the recommendation has been sent in, the baron's health has gone from bad to worse."

TO AID CAPTIVES HELD IN SIBERIA.

APPEAL FOR FUNDS TO ASSIST PRISONERS OF RUSSIANS IS MADE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—An appeal for funds for German and Austro-Hungarian war prisoners in Siberia, who are said to be in great suffering, was forwarded to the Foreign Office at Vienna by the State Department at the request of the Austro-Hungarian Embassy here.

The dispatch, which came from the Austro-Hungarian Consul-General in Shanghai, told of the pitiful condition of the Siberian captives and begged the assistance from America for their relief. It also requested authorization from Vienna for the use of local funds to be sent into China and Russia for this purpose.

Thus far no official report has come to the United States from Siberia in the military detention camps.

The Austro-Hungarian Ambassador, Dr. Dumba, will leave tomorrow for Philadelphia and New York to officiate at the opening of bazaars in those cities, the benefit of which will be devoted to the Austro-Hungarian relief fund.

The fund, which is under the supervision of Prince Alfred von Hohenlohe of the Embassy, has already reached about $16,000.

EMPEROR WILLIAM VISITS HIS TROOPS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 3 (via The Hague and London, Dec. 4, 12:43 a.m.)—Emperor William visited today a part of the Austrian and German troops which are fighting in the region of Czenstochowa.

WAR OBSERVERS.

AMERICANS GO TO BERLIN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Six United States army officers, headed by Col. J. E. Kuhne, sail today for Genoa on the steamer Rotterdam, on the way to Berlin to be official war observers with the German armies in the east and western fields. In the party are Maj. Williams, Maj. Aultmann and Capt. Sparkle, Capt. Burtt and Capt. Rockenbach. The party will land at Genoa and proceed direct to Berlin.

Lie Nailed.

GERMANS AID RELIEF WORK.

MAKE MOST MAGNANIMOUS OFFER TO COMMITTEE.

Will Even Allow Ships of the Enemy to Proceed Unmolested if They are Loaded with Foodstuffs for Belgians and are Properly Certified by Officials in United States.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Committee of Mercy today made public the following cablegram from James W. Gerard, American Ambassador at Berlin, which was forwarded here by the State Department at Washington:

"The German government is entirely in sympathy with the laudable work of the American Commission for Belgian Relief.

"The naval forces cannot lawfully seize food on neutral ships bound for neutral ports. Germany will not interfere with unneutral ships bound for Holland with food from the United States if the food is destined for Belgium. Subject to revocation, the German government agrees to permit unneutral ships to carry food for Belgium via Dutch ports, and will guarantee that the food will be utilized for the purpose intended.

"The German government recommends, however, that as a precaution such unneutral ships shall be furnished with a certificate from competent American authorities testifying that such food carried by unneutral ships via Dutch ports is intended for the relief of the Belgians, and further that the unneutral ships shall be also provided with a pass issued by the German Embassy in Washington, authenticating the certificate issued by the American government."

This official assurance, it was said by the Committee of Mercy, laid at rest numerous rumors to the effect that American foodstuffs shipped into Belgium to be used in feeding the starving refugees might be seized by the German military authorities for the commissary department of their army.

BIG SHIP FROM BAY STATE.

Massachusetts Assigned Largest Steamer Thus Far Provided for Relief of the Belgians.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Massachusetts has been assigned by the American Commission for relief in Belgium the largest ship thus far provided for any of the twenty-five States assembling cargoes of foodstuffs for shipment to the starving Belgians.

Vice-Chairman Linden W. Bates announced today that the Harpalyee, which is now in mid-Atlantic and will arrive at Hampton Roads some time next week will be sent to Boston, where it will be placed at the disposal of the Massachusetts and New England commission. Dried codfish will constitute a considerable part of the New England cargo.

The ship John Hardy, about 6000 tons, has been assigned to the State of Maryland, and the Lynerta of the same tonnage will carry Virginia's contributions.

A telegram received at the headquarters of the commission today from the Kansas Committee said fifty carloads of food had been started East, representing donations from only thirty counties in that State. A message from the Illinois Committee stated that nineteen carloads of food were being prepared for shipment from that State.

OFFERS LIFE IN ATONEMENT.

Convict Volunteers to Become Inoculated with Cancer Virus in the Interest of Science.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BUFFALO, Dec. 3.—Frank J. Hickey, who was sent to Auburn prison from Buffalo in December 1912, to serve from twenty years to life for the murder of Joseph Joseph, a 7-year-old Lackawanna boy, is the prisoner who has offered in a letter to Thomas Mott Osborne, warden of Sing Sing prison, to sacrifice himself for inoculation with cancer virus to ascertain whether the disease is contagious.

The first offer was made several months ago to Dr. Roswell Park of this city, who died a few days later. The letter was turned over to the State laboratory, who in return turned it over to the Attorney-General.

Hickey in his letter, said he made the offer with no idea of possible pardon or commution of sentence, "only desiring to show that as in the past years of my life I have done much evil, I would now do good."

What the German Gunners are Doing in Nieuport.

Fight for the last piece of stricken Belgium.

Nieuport is the next best town to Calais. The Germans want Calais as a bas e for their proposed invasion of the British Islands. But the allies are contesting with them at Nieuport. The above picture shows the result of the German gun fire in one of the streets of the seaport.

Atrocity.

LOCKED IN BY COSSACKS.

WOMEN ATTACKED IN A CHURCH IN GALICIA.

Old Man Who Went to Their Rescue is Crucified on a Pillar of the Edifice, According to the Testimony of a San Francisco Matron.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—A new story of war atrocity was brought from Galicia today by Mrs. Joseph M. Lacks, whose husband is a merchant in San Francisco. She arrived on the Italian liner Regina D'Italia.

"I was visiting in Ropczyce, a town not far from Lemburg," she said. "On October 10, word was circulated that the Russians were coming and that all women had better leave before their arrival. Many women went, but many others, myself among them, did not believe the stories of the shameful treatment of women by the Cossacks and remained in our homes. The Russians entered the town October 15.

"They seemed well enough behaved and seemed to justify our confidence that the stories about them were all untrue. So far had the timidity disappeared among the people that everybody went to church on a Sunday as though there were no Russians in town.

"But soon after services began the Cossacks appeared at the doors of the churches, interrupted services and ordered all the men, including priests, and all the children to leave. The doors were guarded and no women were allowed to get out. The doors were locked and then there was a more awful orgy than I believe this world could khow. Those outside could hear the women screaming and the howls and laughter of the Cossacks.

"One old man who had left his daughter found a door in the church which was unlocked and tried to fight his way to her. The Cossacks caught him, crucified him on one of the pillars, and as he screamed in agony, went on with their orgy.

"By the grace of heaven, I did not go to church. I ran away from town as soon as I knew what was going on and made my way to Italy."

Hard Blow to the Amateurs.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—From the beginning of the great war to date, 1400 amateur wireless stations on the Pacific Coast have been closed, the better to enforce neutrality.

POISON OF SNAKE FAILS TO CURE.

VICTIMS OF EPILEPSY NOT EVEN IMPROVED BY THE TREATMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TOPEKA (Kan.) Dec. 3.—Rattlesnake venom as a cure for epilepsy proved a failure in official tests conducted for the State of Kansas. A report filed here tonight by Dr. M. L. Perry, superintendent of the State Hospital for Epilepsy at Parsons, notes the effect of the venom on six patients at the institution, who were given the treatment for two months.

"In two cases there were more attacks than before; another was unchanged, and one patient's condition grew so alarming that the treatment was discontinued in two weeks," the report says.

In all but the one case the use of the poison was apparently without other than purely negative results, according to the report. This is said to be the first authoritative attempt to cure epilepsy with rattlesnake poison.

Discontent.

BELGIAN PRISONERS RIOT; HOLLANDERS SLAY SIX.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Rioting broke out in the Belgian concentration camp at Zeist, Holland, yesterday, according to Het Volk, published at Amsterdam.

Dutch troops fired on the Belgians, killing six and wounding nine of them. No details of the occurrence are as yet available. This dispatch is sent to London by the correspondent of Reuter's Telegram Company at Amsterdam.

The trouble has been attributed to the discontent of the interned Belgians at not being allowed to receive visits from members of their families. The unrest continues and troops have been sent to Zeist from Utrecht to strengthen the guard.

Col. Collard, commandant of the camp at Zeist, says that the first signs of unrest in the camp, which contains 6000 Belgians, were discerned yesterday, when three men tried to escape.

The excitement steadily grew and the discontent became augmented when the men learned that they would not be allowed to see their wives outside of certain fixed hours. They also complained that the prices were too high, and yesterday they stormed the canteen.

This morning trouble broke out afresh and the canteen was again stormed and cleared of its contents. Finally Dutch troops arrived and, after firing a few shots, order was restored.

PRISONERS REACH LEMBERG.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LEMBERG, Dec. 3.—Lemberg today is intensely interested in some 8000 Austrian and Hungarian prisoners who have been brought into the city. They came by train, and virtually all of the men showed some evidence of the extreme cold they had endured in the mountains.

A great many of them had their feet or hands frozen. Most of the prisoners appeared to be Hungarians, although among them were a great many Tyrolese. All were captured during the recent fighting in the Carpathians. The Lemberg railroad station was crowded with officers, including two generals and twelve staff officers. The soldiers were encamped in the square fronting the station, which had been set aside for their use. The railroad yards were filled with artillery, rifles and ammunition captured from the Austrians and brought in by the same trains that carried the prisoners.

GUARDS CHARGE PRISONERS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LANCASTER (via London) Dec. 3.—An attempt to escape made last night by 1000 prisoners in the concentration camp here was thwarted by the guards, who charged the mobs with bayonets, wounding several.

The trouble arose from the indiscretion of a prisoner, who boasted to the other captives that he was about to be released. This angered his comrades, who attacked him. The guards intervened, but were overpowered. The reserves were summoned and when they reached the scene they found 1000 prisoners advancing armed with bricks, sticks and stones. The reserves fixed bayonets, charged at the double quick, and soon subdued the mutineers, the ringleaders being arrested and placed in solitary confinement. Only one man was seriously injured.

DENY CAMP RIOT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 3, 9:20 p.m.—The report that 1000 prisoners attempted to escape from the Lancaster concentration camp and were thwarted by the guards is officially denied by the commandant at the camp. He declares that there is not a word of truth in the report. He says that there was some booing when a number of Alsatian prisoners were released, but there was no fighting.

Commentaries.

OFFICIAL COMMUNIQUES FROM THE GREAT WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 3, 10:30 p.m.—The following official communication was issued by the War Office tonight:

"The only interesting news relates to our right wing, and to the day of December 2. On the right bank of the River Moselle we have occupied Lesmenils and the Signal of Xon.

"In the Vosges our troops have captured the Tete de Faux, to the south of the village of Bonhomme, which dominates the range hills forming the frontier, and has served as an observatory for the Germans.

"In Alsace the station of Burnhaupt has been occupied and we have established ourselves on a line comprising Aspach, the bridge of Aspach and Burnhaupt."

The French official report, given out in Paris this afternoon, said:

"In Belgium there was a rather lively artillery fire, directed against Nieuport and the south of Ypres.

"The inundations have extended to the south of Dixmude.

"From the Lys to the Somme there has been a violent bombardment, particularly at Aix Noulette, to the west of Lens.

"There was quiet along the entire front from the Somme to Aisne and in Champagne.

"In the Argonne several attacks on the part of the enemy were repulsed, and we made slight progress.

"In the Woevre district the German artillery evidenced a certain activity, but with insignificant results.

"In Lorraine and in the Vosges there is nothing important to report."

GERMAN REPORT.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 3.—Today's official statement was limited to the following brief announcement:

"In neither theater of the war has anything of importance happened."

RUSSIAN STATEMENT.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 3.—The following official statement was issued tonight from general headquarters:

"Fighting continues in certain districts along the front in the region of Lowicz. Important forces of the enemy, chiefly the troops transported in November from the German west front, opened an offensive on December 2 in the region of Lioutomersk and Sezerzow.

"On the rest of the front on the left bank of the Vistula there is no particular modification in the situation.

"Beyond the Carpathians our troops have taken Bartfeldt, capturing eight officers, 1200 men and six machine guns."

LAST PENNSYLVANIA HANGING.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Famous old Moyamensing prison was the scene today of the last hanging that will take place in Pennsylvania, in which, under a new law, electrocution was substituted as the death penalty. William Abel, 38 years old, was the last victim. He shot and killed 12-year-old Thomas Kane. Hereafter all convicted murderers will be sent to a new penitentiary at Bellefonte, Pa., where electrocutions will take place.

London.

WAR TO BE ONE OF EXHAUSTION.

Raw Material of Countries May Decide Result.

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[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Col. E. D. Swinton of the intelligence department of the General Staff of the British expeditionary force in France and Belgium in a narrative dated November [illegible] gives a general review of the development of the situation of the forces for six weeks preceding that date.

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There has recently been a lull in the active operations, he says. No progress has been made by either side, and yet there has come about an important modification comprising a readjustment in the scope of the part played by the British army as a whole. He explains the movement from the River Aisne to the Belgian frontier to prolong the left flank of the French army, and says that in attempting this the British force was compelled to assume responsibility for a very extended section of the front. He points out, as did Gen. French, commander-in-chief of the British force, that the British held one-twelfth of the line and that the greater share of the common task of opposing the enemy fell, and still falls, to the French, while the Belgians played an almost vital part.

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DANIELS' ALIBI FOR TORPEDOES.

Battleships not Built for the Long-range Type.

Short High-speeded Pattern Best for Submarine.

New Equipment Required for Latest Dreadnaughts.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Nov. 3.—What officials regard as popular exaggeration of admitted defects in the American navy's torpedo equipment was the subject of a statement issued tonight by Secretary Daniels embodying a special report from Rear-Admiral Strauss, chief of the Bureau of Ordnance.

Specifically the statement was proposed to prove misleading a declaration that "of long-range torpedos there are only fifty-eight in the navy," quoted from a speech by Representative Gardner, of Massachusetts, who is urging the administration to support his resolution for an investigation of the nation's military preparedness.

While the recent discussion of the subject has dealt only with the equipment of battleships and cruisers, Admiral Strauss took occasion to point out that long-range torpedoes are neither required nor desired for submarines. He recalled that the British armored cruisers Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue, were torpedoed and destroyed by a German submarine at a range of 500 yards.

DANIELS EXPLAINS.

"This statement standing by itself, may leave a false impression," said Mr. Daniels. "In view of repeated statements that the navy has only fifty-eight long-range torpedoes, the chief of the Bureau of Ordnance has been asked to furnish a statement concerning the torpedo situation and has complied as follows:

"The fifty-eight long-range torpedoes so often referred to as the only ones the navy possesses, are of the twenty-one-inch, twenty-one-foot type and there is no ship in the United States navy yet in commission that is being prepared to take them. They were manufactured for new construction, beginning with the Nevada and the Oklahoma and these two ships will not go into commission until about the end of next year. Their long range is obtained by an increase in length over existing types, and no ship prior to the Nevada and Oklahoma is constructed for torpedoes of this length. So far as the Bureau of Ordnance can ascertain, these torpedoes have as high a range as, or hhigher than, any torpedoes manufactured abroad.

"Beginning with the Virginia class, which went into commission principally in 1906, and up to and including the Texas, which went into commission this year, all the battleships are provided with twenty-one-inch, seventeen-foot tubes. Within the last two years it was found possible to so improve the twenty-one-inch, seventeen-foot torpedo as to practically double its range and steps were taken at once to construct new torpedoes having the increased range. We already have a sufficient number of these longer range torpedoes to outfit the eight most recent dreadnaughts in commission, and this is the equipment they will have on board.

"In addition to the above there are being manufactured at the government works at Newport and the Bliss works at Brooklyn a sufficient number to provide all of the battleships of the United States navy beginning with the Virginia class with the long-range torpedo. The Ohio class, which was first commissioned about 1904, is fitted with eighteen-inch tubes, and torpedoes of the highest range cannot be substituted for the equipment now furnished without serious alterations.

"'All of the armored cruisers except four, and all of the older destroyers are provided with eighteen-inch tubes. All of the cruisers and all of the destroyers subsequent to destroyer No. 28, are provided with torpedoes that were up-to-date in range and speed one year ago. Since that time a scheme has been developed for increasing the range of the eighteen-inch torpedoes. There are now in process of construction, eighteen-inch torpedoes of the newer type which will outfit all destroyers from No. 28 with the long-range weapon.

"'Long-range torpedoes are neither required nor desired for submarines. Submarine warfare is of such character as to make it advisable to use short-range, high-speed torpedoes and that is the class that submarines are being furnished with. The Aboukir, Cressy and Hogue were torpedoed recently, it will be recalled, at a range of 500 yards.'"

MORE HOMESTEAD LAND.

Orders are Issued by Secretary Lane to Put Thousands of Acres of Non-Irrigable Kind in Use.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Orders were issued today by Secretary Lane opening to homestead entry more than 560,000 acres of western public lands, which have been determined to be non-irrigable. After January 11, 1915, the lands may be taken up in tracts of 320 acres each, under the enlarged homestead act.

More than 300,000 acres of the property is in Central and Eastern Oregon. In Montana there are about 100,000 acres and more than 160,000 acres are in New Mexico.

KNOX AS THAW'S LAWYER.

Former Secretary of State Appears in Supreme Court in Behalf of the Pittsburgh Exquisite.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Philander C. Knox, former Secretary of State, appeared in the Supreme Court today as an attorney for Harry K. Thaw, by filing a brief in behalf of the celebrated defendant, in opposition to the State of New York's proposal to extradite Thaw from New Hampshire. Mr. Knox contends that Thaw had been adjudged insane by the New York courts; and not responsible for the killing of Stanford White; and that it is a fundamental principle of law that extradition proceedings may not be used for any other purpose than to return a fugitive criminal to trial.

Naom Now Ambassador.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Roumolo S. Naon, for twenty years Minister to the United States from Argentina, today presented his creditials to the President as the first Ambassador from his country.

HAW, HAW, HAW, HAR, HAR, HAR!

Congressmen Who Instigated Income Tax Stuck for $16,000.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—The income tax law caused the deduction of a total of $16,000 from the salaries of Representatives in Congress for the current year. The deductions were made today in the checks issued by Sergeant-at-arms Gordon to the personnel of the House, and the money will be turned back into the treasury.

Our Navy.

TO INCREASE MARINE CORPS.

GEN. BARNETT WANTS EIGHT HUNDRED MORE MEN.

He also Would Like to have Annapolis Graduates as Officers Because of Their Superior Mental and Physical Development—Higher Rate of Pay is Asked.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Appointment of naval academy graduates as marine officers, an increase of the personnel of the corps by about 800 officers and men, including two brigadier-generals, and the assignment of detachments of marines to small warships for possible service in foreign countries, constitute the chief recommendations in the annual report of Maj.-Gen. George Barnett, commandant of the Marine Corps, made public today.

Emphasizing the need for obtaining marine officers from Annapolis, Gen. Barnett observes:

"Not only will the corps then receive officers who are better educated technically than those now admitted, but also much better qualified physically. Recently there have been altogether too many young officers of the corps who soon after their entry have developed physical defects which render them unfit for service."

The report asks that, unless this recommendation is adopted, no appointments be made until Congress has been asked to provide for appointments from civil life of second lieutenants, to serve as such for two years, meanwhile attending an officers' school.

In urging the increase in personnel, Gen. Barnett points out that expeditionary work last year, especially that in Mexico, made it necessary practically to deplete the barracks in this country.

Gen. Barnett expresses fear that long-continued service in the tropics "is bound to have an unfortunate effect on the health of the corps," and adds that adverse reports have come from inspecting officers due to inadequate and unsanitary barracks which cannot be improved without special appropriation.

Finally, he asks new ratings and increase of pay for enlisted men in the Marine Corps who are doing technical work similar in character to that performed by enlisted men of the army.

THE BERWIND TO CLEAR.

Vessel Recently Detained at New York Under Suspicion of Violating Neutrality Laws May Sail.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Assistant Secretary of the Treasury Peters instructed Collector of Customs Malone at New York tonight to grant clearance papers to the American steamship Berwind, recently detained by customs authorities there pending an investigation to determine whether she had violated the neutrality laws.

The Berwind was charged with furnishing contraband articles to a German warship outside the three-mile limit. Upon investigation, however, the Treasury Department found it had no ground upon which to hold her. The vessel, it was said here, is clearing for Charleston, to take aboard a cargo of cotton for Bremen.

One result of the investigation by the New York authorities was a fine of $500 on the Berwind owners for making out a false list of cargo. The $500 was paid under protest.

ELECTION EXPENSES.

PHELAN AND BELL STATEMENTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Senator-Elect James D. Phelan has filed his final statement of expense in connection with the general election, showing that he made the following expenditures in addition to those previously reported: Railroad and steamship fares, $70.90; postage stamps, $3.45; incidental expense under $10 in each case, $176.55; total, $592.45, bringing his total election expenses up to $3397.70.

Representative Bell has filed his statement, showing that he received contributions of $475.50 and expended $591.46 in his campaign.

REFUND ORANGE RATE.

APPLIES TO CALIFORNIA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—The Interstate Commerce Commission has ordered a refund to A. and B. Shuster and F. W. Nelson of $4.32 on account of an unreasonable rate applied to 576 pounds of oranges forwarded from Cutler, Cal., to Holbrook, Ariz. The Pacific Electric Warehouse Company is directed to waive the collection of an undercharge of $245.65 on sixteen carloads of beans forwarded over its line from Xalisco to Huntington Beach, and thence to various inter-State destinations.

INTERLOCKING DIRECTORS.

MAY SERVE OUT TERMS.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Interlocking directors in banks and trust companies not having common ownership may serve out their terms, provided they do not extend more than two years after the final passage of the new Clayton Trust Bill, according to a decision today of the Federal Reserve Board. The bill contains inhibitions against interlocking directorates.

Fowler Bank Liquidates.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—The Fowler National Bank of Fowler has gone into voluntary liquidation. The Liquidating Committee is the board of directors of the First National Bank of Fowler, which has absorbed the former institution.

Neutrality.

TO CITE GROCER FOR CONTEMPT.

Must Tell Grand Jury Who Gave Supply Order.

Surrenders Books of Firm on Demand of Preston.

Cargo Thought to be Intended to Aid Belligerents.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—John W. Preston, United States District Attorney, said tonight that a citation for contempt of court will be issued against William Haas, who refused to tell a Federal grand jury today the name of the man who ordered $60,000 in groceries, part of the cargo of the steamship Olson and Mahoney, which was refused clearance from this port by John O. Davis, collector of customs.

Haas, senior member of the firm which filled the contract for the goods, surrendered his books to the grand jury, but upon advice of counsel refused to name the man who acted as the agent of the consignees, Feelch & Co. of Valparaiso.

G. Fred Herr, assistant cashier of a local bank which had upon deposit $130,000 for the purchase of a cargo for the Olson and Mahoney, appeared in answer to a summons with Haas. He told the jurors that one Arthur S. Hall signed the checks for the payment of the cargo, but he could identify Hall no further.

The Olson and Mahoney was chartered to carry a cargo of general supplies to Valparaiso, Chile. She was loaded and ready to sail when clearance was refused by Collector Davis. While Davis was conducting an investigation into the cargo of the ship, fearing that it was to be diverted to the use of belligerent warships in the Pacific, the application for clearance was suddenly withdrawn.

The grand jury investigation of Haas and Herr came as a result of their refusal to testify before Davis's investigation committee.

Dry or Wet?

TO ATTACK PROHIBITION.

ARIZONA SALOONISTS COMBINE TO FIGHT NEW LAW.

Two Former Governors, the Retiring Attorney-General and Five Other Lawyers are Engaged to Present Weak Points of Amendment to the Federal Court.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—J. H. Kibbey and R. E. Sloan, former Governors of Arizona; G. Purdy Bullard, retiring Attorney-General of the State, and five other attorneys were engaged today to make an attack in court on the State-wide prohibition amendment adopted at the election a month ago. The legal battle will be financed by assessments levied on all saloon and liquor establishments in the State. One-third of the assessment will be collected at once. The balance will not be called for unless the suits in prospect succeed in keeping the saloons open after January 1, the date on which the amendment was to become effective.

Bullard's resignation as Attorney-General becomes effective Saturday. His term of office would have expired December 31.

The main point of attack on the prohibition amendment will be the contention that there is a fatal conflict in the provisions of the measure. One section provides that the amendment shall go into effect January 1. Another provides that the Legislature, which does not assemble until January 11, shall "by appropriate legislation provide for the carrying into effect of this amendment."

The case will be fought out in the Federal Court, which will be asked to interpret the amendment.

Other technical points of contest will be that the measure, while fixing penalties ranging from imprisonment for ten days to two years, with or without fines of from $25 to $300, it does not provide for the imposition of the penalties by any court.

EVIDENCE FAVORS HANALEI'S SKIPPER.

FIRST OFFICER, FROM SICK BED, BLAMES WRECK ON THE SECOND MATE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—First Officer McTeague joined today with Capt. J. J. Carey in placing responsibility for the wreck of the steamship Hanalei on the shoulders of William Reese, the dead second officer. The Hanalei struck Duxbury reef November 23 and broke up the day following, with a loss of twenty-three lives.

McTeague testified from his sick bed, where he lies with two broken ribs.

"I was washing in my cabin," he said, "when I heard the lookout at the bow sing out, 'Breakers ahead!'

"The vessel had already struck and was thumping badly when I reached the bridge. I asked Mr. Reese what course he was steering.

"He answered, 'East, three-quarters south.'

"I asked him, 'What do you want to do, drown us all?'

"His answer was, 'I thought I heard the Duxbury reef whistling buoy and hauled the ship in.'"

McTeague's testimony has been corroborated by Purser Lovejoy and, if accepted by the Federal inspectors, constituting the court of inquiry, will save Capt. Carey his master's license.

The Place Case Dismissed.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Dec. 3.—The case against Victor M. Place, an attorney, former football star of Dartmouth College, who was indicted along with a number of Chinese for alleged conspiracy to intimidate a government witness, was dismissed today by Judge Cushman of the Federal District Court.

AIRCRAFT FOE OF SUBMARINES.

CAN DISCERN WASPS OF SEA ONE HUNDRED FEET UNDER WATER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Air craft and their great part in modern warfare at sea as well as on land were discussed today before the House Naval Committee by Capt. Bristol, in charge of the naval aviation corps.

Capt. Bristol, explaining the value of aviators as sea scouts, said that, while submarines might not be discovered from the deck of a ship or torpedo boat destroyer, they could be detected by aeroplanes or dirigibles even if submerged fifty to 100 feet under the surface of the water.

Foreign manufacturers have developed a better aeroplane motor than any American type, the captain thought, largely because the public here lacked the interest in aviation that there is in Europe.

Capt. Bassett told the committee that the naval militia under the new law of the last session of Congress has been better organized, and now numbers 7100 men and 580 officers.

THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

Atlantic Coast Unseasonably Warm, but Cooler Temperatures with Snow Reported Elsewhere.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Rain or snow with high north winds are predicted for the lakes region tomorrow. The maximum temperature today was 42 deg., or 22 deg. under Los Angeles. The Ohio Valley had 54 deg. and St. Louis 44 deg., showing the Southwest is much cooler, proportionately, than the East Central States. The East continues unseasonably warm. Canada reports temperatures that should prevail in September instead of midwinter. Other temperatures:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	54	34
Boise, Idaho	44	38
Boston, Mass.	62	46
Calgary, Alberta	24	16
Chicago, Ill.	42	40
Denver, Colo.	42	20
Des Moines, Iowa	36	24
Dodge City, Kan.	50	14
Duluth, Minn.	24	18
Durango, Colo.	46	16
Havre, Mont.	48	18
Helena, Mont.	38	28
Huron, S. D.	48	24
Jacksonville, Fla.	68	62
Kamloops, B. C.	36	32
Kansas City, Mo.	46	26
Knoxville, Tenn.	56	50
Memphis, Tenn.	52	50
Minneapolis, Minn.	28	..
Modena, Utah	44	28
Montreal, Quebec	42	40
Moorhead, Minn.	38	22
New Orleans, La.	70	58
New York, N. Y.	..	50
North Platte, Neb.	52	26
Oklahoma City, Okla.	50	30
Pittsburgh, Pa.	54	50
Rapid City, S. D.	52	24
Roswell, N. M.	52	26
St. Louis, Mo.	44	40
St. Paul, Minn.	..	24
Salt Lake City, Utah	48	42
Sheridan, Wyo.	42	8
Tampa, Fla.	78	64
Washington, D. C.	64	50
Williston, N. D.	40	10
Winnipeg, Man.	22	10

PLEA OF THE EXPORTERS.

They Think They are Entitled to a Permit to Organize a Little to Get the Trade.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—John H. Fahey, president of the Chamber of Commerce of the United States, asked President Wilson today to support an amendment to the Sherman law to permit American exporters to band together to meet foreign competition. American exporters have great opportunities with the war, but are handicapped by doubts as to their legal rights, Mr. Fahey told the President, who promised to consider the question carefully.

SPANISH OLIVES DAMAGED.

Andalusia Crop Suffers from the Heat and a Drought, Late Rains Being of no Benefit.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Drought and heat have damaged the olive crop in Andalusia, late rains not benefiting the growers materially. Queen olives have been selling at 2½ cents a pound. There has been practically no exports.

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MORE POWER TO PRESIDENT.

TAFT SAYS HE SHOULD KEEP TAB ON EXPENSES.

Believes Economy and Efficiency of Government Would be Increased if Annual Budget System Were Adopted in Apportioning Revenues for Various Departments.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DETROIT, Dec. 3.—Former President William H. Taft, speaking before the Detroit Bankers' Club tonight, urged economy in the administration of affairs of the Federal government. "More power," he declared, "should be vested in the President to keep his hands upon the expenditure of money in the various departments."

With economy and efficiency of government an object, Mr. Taft said:

"There are three great instrumentalities—that ought to be created—first, machinery for the reorganization of the executive departments of the government so as to eliminate duplications and overlaps; second, a bureau directly responsible to the President, to report to him a comparative statement of economy and efficiency in each department; and, third, a plan for bringing the executive and legislative departments closer together and the appropriation of an annual budget upon which Congress can intelligently act.

"We must give to the legislative department, to aid it in its preparation of appropriation bills, a definite account stated on both sides of the ledger, so that in respect of each appropriation bill it may act with a comprehension of all. That is what a national budget is for. That is why they have budgets in all the countries of the world that have respectable governments, except our own. We have acted like children. We have had so much money available through taxation that we have not been obliged to consult the revenue side of the ledger. Now we are coming to the point where we must consult it. We must pursue the policy that other governments have found absolutely necessary in order to keep out of bankruptcy."

REPUBLICAN PLURALITY.

Have Slightly the Better in Alignment in Assembly of California Legislature, According to Figures.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SACRAMENTO, Dec. 3.—The personnel of the two houses of the Forty-first Legislature, according to official returns, follows:

Senate:
"Progressives," 9.
Democrats, 7.
Republicans, 4.
Hold-overs from Fortieth Legislature, twenty, of whom thirteen are "Progressives."

Assembly:
Republicans, 33.
"Progressives," 28.
Democrats, 15.
Socialists, 3.
Prohibition, 1.
Total, 80.

Complete official returns obtained today for the twenty Senatorial and eighty Assembly districts of the State show the Senate is overwhelmingly "Progressive" while in the Assembly the party alignment is problematical, but the Republicans seem to have a small lurality. The Democrats, with a voting strength of fifteen, have enough to throw the balance of the power to either party.

Los Angeles Doctor to Wed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

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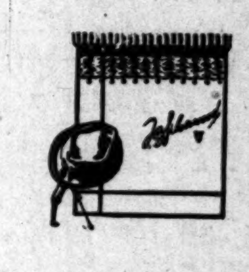

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MORE INDICTMENTS OF JOHN BURKE.

FORMER MANAGER OF PANAMA CANAL COMMISSARY IN TROUBLE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Additional indictments against John Burke, an employee of the Isthmian Canal Commission, as manager of the commissary department, were returned today by the Federal grand jury which has been investigating alleged frauds in the Canal Zone. In them Burke is charged with accepting two bribes totalling nearly $10,000.

The first indictment charges that Burke accepted a bribe of $5866 from Arthur Goldsmith, member of a Hanover (Germany) firm, for passing a consignment of supplies. The second indictment alleges that he accepted a bribe of $4000 from P. Canavaggio, a merchant of Colon, for passing wines and other supplies intended for use in the Canal Zone.

Burke appeared in the criminal branch of the United States District Court and entered pleas of not guilty. He was required to furnish new bonds of $14,000, which makes the total bail in his case $38,000. In a dozen or more indictments Burke is charged with receiving bribes aggregating about $21,000.

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NEUTRAL POLICY ADVICE TO ITALY

Premier Tells Parliament to Keep Forces Prepared.

Must Maintain Her Position Among Great Powers.

French Chamber is Called to Meet Again in Paris.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

ROME, Dec. 3.—The Italian Parliament opened today. The sittings of both the Chamber of Deputies and the Senate were witnessed by a large gathering of deeply interested spectators. Among those present were the former Premiers, Giolatti, Luzzatti and Pelloux.

The diplomatic tribune was overcrowded. Premier Salandra made a statement in which he explained the situation of Italy and advised that she maintain an attitude of loyal, but watchful and armed neutrality. He was frequently applauded.

When Premier Salandra alluded to what he termed the just aspirations of Italy, the whole extreme left arose crying "Viva Trent," "Viva Triest." The spectators in the tribune joined in the demonstration. The Premier's statement was interrupted frequently with applause. It was noticed that former Premier Giolatti joined with the Deputies in their expressions of approval. As the session was about to adjourn, Deputy Comandini said that he wished to ask the chamber to send greetings to "heroic and unfortunate Belgium."

The whole chamber, including the President, the Ministers and the people in the tribunes, arose and shouted: "Hurray Belgium!"

Premier Salandra said in his statement that the European conflict broke out suddenly, without involving Italy directly, and in spite of her efforts to avert the war for the sake of peace and civilization. A careful study of her treaty obligations and the causes of the conflict convinced the government that Italy was not called upon to participate and she accordingly declared her neutrality. In view of protecting Italian interests, however, a declaration of neutrality alone was not sufficient to safeguard the country against contingencies which might arise in consequence of such an enormous upheaval.

The political divisions of the continent of Europe, the Premier pointed out, were perhaps about to be modified. Italy, he added, justly aspires to maintain her position as a great power and to preserve intact her policies. She must therefore be watchful, powerful, and ready for any eventuality. Thus the supreme task of the government was to bring the army and navy to a state of preparedness, since when law ceases to govern, the only safety of a nation is in force. Italy had no plans for aggression, but must be ready to protect herself against agression on the part of others.

The Premier announced that economic conditions had been ameliorated. He asked that the people be ready to make any sacrifice and that economic aspirations be set aside for the time being by all parties, groups and classes, since at the present time the solidarity of all elements was essential. The government would consider it entirely improper, he said, to consider solely the policies of any one party, and accordingly requested the patriotic co-operation of all members of Parliament, that it might possess the strength necessary to accomplish the hard task before it.

PARLIAMENT FOR PARIS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The French Parliament has been called to meet in extraordinary session at Paris on December 22. The members of the French Cabinet are to leave Bordeaux next week for this city, where they will put themselves at the disposition of the Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies.

There have been several reports during the past month that the French government which went from Paris to Bordeaux in the early part of September was about to return to Paris and resume there the functions of government.

The foregoing dispatch is the first official announcement that the administration is to return. Previous reports have said unofficially that the government was about to go back and that Parliament would meet the latter part of December to pass emergency laws.

TWO MURDERERS APPEAL. THEIR HANGINGS DELAYED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—Two condemned murderers appealed to the Supreme Court today for new trials. Their action will act as a stay of execution, thereby cutting the number of men to be hanged at Florence penitentiary, December 19, to six. The only hope of these six is a commutation by the Governor.

C. S. Brooks, Well Known Grocer, Says Akoz Corrected Sciatica

Proprietor Newberry Store, 2013 West Seventh Street, Praises Mineral Remedy.

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War One of Exhaustion.

(Continued from Second Page.)

army corps which had been hastily raised and trained, their object being to drive the allies out of Belgium and break through to Dunkirk and Calais. Altogether, they had a quarter of a million fresh men. Eventually the Germans had north of La Bassee about fourteen corps and eight cavalry divisions, that is, a "force of three-quarters of a million men with which to attempt to drive the allies into the sea. In addition there was immensely powerful armament and heavy siege artillery which also has been brought up from around Antwerp."

BLOWS AT DIXMUDE.

The official eye-witness tells of the blows delivered by the Germans at Nieuport, Dixmude and Ypres where "at first the allies were greatly outnumbered." For a whole month the British army around Ypres succeeded in holding its ground against repeated onslaughts made by vastly superior forces. The narrator goes into details of the German attacks and describes how they were frustrated by the allies. The British force, says Col. Swinton, which consisted all along of the same units, had to "withstand an almost continuous bombardment and to meet one desperate assault after another, each carried out by fresh units from the large numbers which the Germans were devoting to the operation." Finally, the French came to their assistance, and "never was help more welcome, for by then our small reserves had again and again been thrown into the fight in the execution of counetr attack and our men were exhausted by the incessant fighting."

The British force now has been considerably rested and in addition has been reinforced, while a lull in the activity has enabled the commanders to readjust their forces, strengthen their positions and bring up reserves.

There has therefore been "a great general improvement in the conditions under which we are carrying on the fight." Of the fighting which preceded this reorganization, the writer says it was due solely to the resource, initiative and endurance of the regimental officers and men that success has lain with the British."

UNITS BECOME MIXED.

He continued:

"As the struggle swayed backwards and forwards through wood and hamlet, the fighting assumed a most confused and desperate character. The units became inextricably mixed and in many cases in order to strengthen some threatened point or to fill a gap in the line, the officers had to collect and throw into the fight what men they could regardless of the units to which they belonged. Our casualties have been severe, but we have been fighting a battle and a battle implies casualties, and heavy as they have been, it must be remembered that they have not been suffered in vain.

"The duty of the French, Belgians and British in the western theater of operations has been to act as a containing force, in other words, to hold on to and to keep occupied as many of the enemy as possible while the Russians were attacking in the east. In this we have succeeded in playing our part and by our resistance have contributed materially towards the success of the campaign. Moreover, our losses have not impaired our fighting efficiency. The troops have required only a slight respite in order to be able to continue the action with as much determination as ever. They are physically fit and well fed and have suffered merely from the fatigue which is inseparable from a protracted struggle such as they have been through. The severest handling by the enemy has never had more than a temporary effect on their spirits, which have soon recovered, owing to the years of discipline and training to which the officers and men have been accustomed.

"The value of such preparation is as noticeable on the side of the enemy as on our own. The losses suffered by the Germans' new formations have been remarkable and they were in part due to their lack of training. Moreover, though at the first onset these formations advanced to the attack as bravely as their active corps, they have not by any means shown the same recuperative powers. The Twenty-seventh Corps, for instance, which is a new formation composed principally of men with only seven to twelve weeks' training, has not yet recovered from its first encounter with the British infantry around Bacelacre to the northeast of Ypres a month ago. On the other hand, the Guard Corps, in spite of having suffered severely in Belgium, of having been thrown headlong across the Oise River at Guise and having lost large numbers on the plain of Compiegne and on the banks of the Aisne River, advanced against Ypres on the 11th of November as bravely as they did on the 20th of August."

ALLIES' SACRIFICES.

The allies, continues Col. Swinton, have undergone great sacrifices to defend against tremendous odds a line that could only be maintained by making these sacrifices, but the fact that the situation has been relieved is no reason for assuming that the enemy abandoned his intention of pressing through to the sea. The writer points out that the Germans continue to attack with great courage, but little abated by failure, and while they have not succeeded in gaining the Straits of Dover, they have been enabled to consolidate their position on the western frontier and retain all but a small portion of Belgium.

"As well as they have fought, however," continues the narrative, "it is doubtful if their achievements are commensurate with their losses, which recently have been largely due to a lack of training and a comparative lack of discipline of the units they put in the field."

RUSSIA PURCHASES AIR-TIGHT TANKS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The Russian government has purchased here 50,000 fifty-five gallon, air-tight steel tanks, at a cost of approximately $250,000, to be used in constructing pontoon bridges in their military operations, according to a statement issued this afternoon by the manufacturers.

The first shipment is to go forward next Saturday, it was said. The entire lot, under the terms of the contract, must be shipped not later than January 15.

"Uncle Joe's" Expenses.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Representative-elect Joseph G. Cannon of Illinois, former Speaker of the House, spent $3274 in his primary and election campaigns this year, according to his report of campaign expenses filed here today.

Evasion His Sin.

(Continued from First Page.)

eligibles after civil service examinations for positions of fourth-class postmasters.

That employees of the Federal Reserve Board have been made appointees of the old spoils system.

That an attempt was made to remove all assistant postmasters from civil service.

That an attempt was made to exempt from civil service more than 100 physicians in the Indian service.

That attorneys, special experts and examiners of the new trade commission are exempt from the merit system.

That President Wilson has issued seventy-one executive orders permitting appointments without complying with the requirements of the civil service rules during the twelve months ending October 1. This is contrasted to an average of sixty-one exceptions during the four years of President Taft's administration.

"Many of the special exceptions granted by President Wilson," say the council's report, "are evidently based upon purely charitable reasons rather than upon any necessary ground out of the requirements of the service. It must not be forgotten that the original purpose of permitting these 'special exemptions' was to enable the President to secure the appointment of persons having unusual qualifications for public service. This practice was not established in order to enable persons in financial distress to receive relief through appointment to government offices."

The council recommended that all postmasters be placed under civil service.

SEEK TO EXTEND CIVIL SERVICE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—An appeal to civic and commercial organizations, women's clubs, and, in fact, all users of the mails, to support a campaign to be undertaken for legislation to include higher-grade postmasters in the classified service was made tonight by Richard Henry Dana of Boston, president of the National Civil Service League, in his address at the thirty-fourth annual meeting of the league. The extension of the civil service rather than the protection of the places within the system, he explained, is to be the work of the league.

"The whole civil service of the Federal government," he said, "includes about 475,000 persons, with an aggregate total salary estimated at $400,000,000 a year. Of this number only 61 per cent. is under a strict competitive merit system.

"Add to this the services of the cities, counties and States, there is a grand total of nearly 900,000 appointees with an aggregate annual salary of $700,000,000, of which the far greater part is still in politics unless protected by civil service laws and rules, and is used to build up a great political machine."

Previous extension, he said, had been downward rather than upward.

"We set for example," he continued, "a former saloon keeper occupying a technical engineering position when his only knowledge of engineering had been to engineer the election of the Mayor who appointed him."

A review of the progress of the civil service movement and an outline of what should be sought to further the advance, was presented today by Robert D. Jenks of Philadelphia, chairman of the council of the association, in his annual report.

Mr. Jenks declared that the achievements in the year demonstrated a constant growth of popular sentiment throughout the country in favor of the merit and efficiency system, and said:

"Even in Congress the tide has turned against the spoilsman. The passage of the Cullop amendment, which sought to throw open the postoffices for patronage purposes was defeated."

He pointed out that in New Jersey, Georgia, Missouri, Ohio and California notable progress has been made in putting civil service systems into effect.

"The business men of the country," the report said, "have united in insisting that all positions in the diplomatic and consular services must be filled by men selected, not for political reasons, but for demonstrated fitness and ability."

After noting that the present civil service rules of the consular service rested on executive order, Mr. Jenks declared:

"It will be the duty of this league and the several associations constituting its membership to join with the business organizations of the country, in emphasizing the necessity for the enactment into law of the executive orders giving to the system so successfully inaugurated and maintained, the needed greater stability."

Much of the report was a review of the postoffice legislation and methods employed in selecting postmasters for small offices, and it was strongly urged that fitness and not political reasons govern all appointments.

Labor.

COAL STRIKE IN MESSAGE.

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WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—President Wilson, it became known today, is hopeful now of an early clearing up of the Colorado coal strike situation. He is expected to refer to the question in his message to Congress next week.

Ultimately, it was understood today, the President wants a law similar to the Newlands act applying to al industrial disputes under which many threatened strikes on railroads have been averted. The Federal Industrial Relations Commission which is now conducting hearings in Colorado is expected to recommend the passage of such a law.

The President still is awaiting formal word from the Governor of Colorado that the State is ready to resume control of the strike situation, and will withdraw the Federal troops as soon as such a notice is received.

Chairman Foster called today a meeting of the House Mines Committee for Saturday to consider the final report on the Congressional inquiry into the strike.

BANKER SUES GIRL ONCE HIS AFFINITY.

SEATTLE ELOPEMENT IS RECALLED BY A ROW OVER MONEY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Ivy May Henry, who figured in an elopement from Seattle with S. Foster Kelley, a banker of that city, four years ago, was arrested here today on a warrant charging her with obtaining money by false pretenses. The warrant was obtained by Kelley, who alleged in his complaint that the woman had obtained $500 from him on the plea that she had just undergone an operation to relieve appendicitis and needed the money to pay her expenses.

In the complaint Kelley stated that her representations were untrue. Kelley has refused to talk. Attorneys for Mrs. Henry make a general denial on her behalf.

It is said Kelley has been living out of the State and that Mrs. Henry has not seen him for several years. Mrs. Henry has been living quietly in this city.

The elopment of Banker Kelley and Mrs. Henry, the beautiful wife of one of Kelley's clerks, from Seattle to this city in the fall of 1910 caused a sensation at the time. Kelley was cashier of the Seattle National Bank and a heavy stockholder as well. After many tribulations during which the banker spent some time in jail here, the couple parted and Kelley returned to Seattle.

WISCONSIN PLAN MAY BRING PEACE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER, Dec. 3.—A ray of hope for possible peace in the Colorado coal industry appeared today in the announcement of Prof. John R. Commons of the Federal Industrial Relations Commission that he had explained informally to Colorado operators and union officials separately the working of the Wisconsin industrial relations act.

This action followed the declaration of Gov.-Elect George A. Carlson before the commission yesterday that he would urge enactment by the State Legislature of a law providing for a commission and an advisory board to handle all difficulties between capital and labor and to attend to the safety and sanitary conditions of employment, workmen's compensation and compulsory arbitration. Gov.-elect Carlson investigated the working of the Wisconsin plan during the recent conference of Governors at Madison.

Good Catches.

ONE FOR DOUBLE KILLING AND OTHER FOR ROBBERY.

Man Identifies Bandit on Street Who Held Him up and He is Captured — Other Desperate Character Charged with Killing Jumps from Window into Officer's Arms as Home is Searched.

TWO desperate characters were arrested last night, one of them being charged with double murder and the other with highway robbery.

After being held up and robbed at Utah and Kearney streets shortly before midnight Nick Caros, 24 years old, of No. 214 Winston street, started for the Receiving Hospital to have several wounds inflicted by the highwayman dressed. At Third and Main streets he saw a man resembling the bandit and began shouting for an officer.

Patrolman Ouslev heard the cries, hurried toward the corner and ran directly into Sam Papis, who was trying to get away. The officer ordered him to stop and he did so after throwing his revolver into a doorway.

At the Central Station Mr. Caros positively identified Papis and the money he had lost was found in the prisoner's pocket.

Detectives are of the opinion that Papis shot and seriously wounded Patrolman Chester Lloyd the other night and it was planned early this morning to take him before the officer who is at the Angelus Hospital, for identification.

Armed with sawed-off shotguns two deputy sheriffs and two patrolmen at about 11 o'clock last night captured Telesforo Rodriguez, [illegible] years old, who is alleged to have shot and killed two men, one of them his uncle, S. Garcia. Officers throughout the State had been on the lookout for the man for two months.

Rodriguez was located early last night in a cabin in the [illegible] Verde district, north of the [illegible] Catholic cemetery, by Patrolmen Lawrence and Rodgers of Pasadena, who after being reinforced by Deputy Sheriffs Fox and Supelveda went to arrest him.

The wife of Rodriguez answered a knock at the door and declared that her husband was not at home. Deputy Fox entered the house and while he was searching the premises Rodriguez jumped from a second-story window into the arms of Deputy Supelveda. He offered no resistance and was taken to the County Jail.

The officers say Rodriguez admitted killing his uncle in Pasadena last August and a man whose name is not known in Fresno county.

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Mexico City.

POLICE BAREFOOT IN MEXICO CITY.

Villa and Zapata Soldiers Patrol the Streets.

Gutierrez Doesn't Know Yet Whether He will Rule.

Marines from Vera Cruz are Landed in the East.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Provisional President Gutierrez and Gen. Villa are in Mexico City and several of their military chiefs have gone to Cuernavaca to discuss with Gen. Zapata and his officers the distribution of forces in the capital and vicinity.

This was reported today in official dispatches to the State Department, which stated that conditions in Mexico City were quiet.

"Zapata soldiers, very meagerly clad, some being barefooted, patrol the city," said an announcement from the State Department, summarizing official messages dated late last night. "The army of the north is encamped in the suburbs; no further molestation of foreigners has occurred and fair order is being maintained. Thus far there has been no friction.

"On the morning of December 2, Special Agent George C. Carothers and some of the northern chiefs proceeded in automobiles to Cuernavaca. It is reported that at this interview the matter of the entry of the northern forces and the understanding with them would be determined.

"Orders have been issued by Gen. Villa with reference to the occupation of private property on the entry of his troops. It is stated that private property is not to be occupied without the consent of the owners previously being given."

While the Mexican Railroad east from Mexico City has suffered some damage at the hands of the Carranzistas, official dispatches say the British-owned railway system was left intact, and has been restored to the company's management.

The State Department was informed that Gen. Carranza and Gen. Candido Aguilar went to Jalapa three days ago on an inspection trip.

Railroad and telegraphic communication between Laredo and Saltillo and between Saltillo and Monterey is in good order, according to consular advices. Conditions in Monterey are normal, and communication with Tampico by rail and telegraph continues.

REPORT CAPTURE OF GUAYMAS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 3.—Advices to the Villa agency here said today that Provisional President Gutierrez and Gen. Villa have entered the capital section of Mexico City. Their reception was declared to have been "encouraging."

The Carranza Consulate at El Paso received today a report from Naco that the Carranza leader, Gen. Ramon Iturbe, had captured Guaymas, a port on the west coast. It was also reported that Hermosillo, capital of Sonora, was being attacked. Other reports of the Guaymas attack came in a military bulletin from Vera Cruz. It was stated that Iturbe began his attack with a brigade of infantry and a section of field pieces after driving the Villa garrison from the outposts.

From the east coast it was reported through Carranza sources that Gen. Caballero's forces had routed a group of Villa troops which had been advancing on the town of Panuco. The Villa factions claim Caballero as an ally. The Carranza War Office also reported attacks by Gen. Herrera's troops on the Villa garrisons in Chihuahua state. This has not been confirmed by border advices.

The Vera Cruz reports said that Zapata troops which last week cut communications between Mexico City and Vera Cruz had been driven into the mountains by Carranza troops. Telegraphic communication between the national capital and the east coast port had been restored, it was said, but only official messages were being transmitted.

MARINES ARRIVE AT PHILADELPHIA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Glad to be home again after their long service in Mexico, 350 officers and men of the Marine Corps reached the Philadelphia Navy Yard late today on the transport San Marcos, which sailed from Vera Cruz the day the United State relinquished that city to Mexico.

The advance guard of the returning force on the San Marcos, while small in number, received the warmest of welcomes. At the yard were friends and relatives of the officers and men on all the transports. Two rear-admirals, the commandant of the yard, the major-generals Marine Corps and any number of captans and lieutenant-commanders lent color to the scene as the transports, welcomed by the wives and children of the men on board, docked.

Beginning tomorrow the officers and men on the transports, 2600 in all, are to be given thirty days of leave. Those on the Kansas City will go home for the holidays.

Col. Litterwater, who is in command of the marines, with his staff, is on the Denver. The colonel will remain at the yard, taking the place made vacant by Gen. Barnett, who is commandant of the marines.

The City of Memphis arrived off the navy yard shortly before midnight and about a half-hour later the Denver came to anchor. Owing to their late arrival no welcome greeted these vessels. The officers and men remained aboard ship and will land early in the morning, when they will be formally welcomed home by the officers of the yard.

MONTANA BANK ROBBED.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

GREAT FALLS (Mont.) Dec. 3.—Five thousand dollars were stolen today from the State Bank of Stockett by robbers who aroused the caretaker and forced him to stand by while the safe was blown open.

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LAMAR SENTENCE IS TWO YEARS.

FOUND GUILTY OF CONSPIRACY BY IMPERSONATING U. S. CONGRESSMAN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—David Lamar was today found guilty of impersonating Representative A. Mitchell Palmer of Pennsylvania for the purpose of defrauding J. P. Morgan & Co. and the United States Steel Corporation. He was immediately sentenced to serve two years in the Federal penitentiary at Atlanta, Ga.

The government charged that Lamar and his friend, Edward Lauterbach, a lawyer, entered into a conspiracy to obtain money from the United States Steel Corporation and the Morgan firm by representing themselves as the agents of Speaker Clark and other men high in Congress. To further this conspiracy, it was charged, Lamar later telephoned Lewis Cass Ledyard and others, represented himself over the telephone to be Representative Palmer of Pennsylvania; said that he was acting with the knowledge and sanction of Speaker Clark and sought to have Mr. Ledyard obtain employment for Lauterbach with the Morgan firm or the steel corporation.

The telephone conversation lasted several days before Mr. Ledyard telephoned to the real Representative Palmer and found that he had been talking with an imposter. In the meantime Mr. Ledyard had seen Lauterbach, and Lauterbach, Mr. Ledyard said, had demanded money for his services. Three indictments were found by the grand jury. Two of them charged Lamar with representing himself as an officer of the United States government; the third charged Lamar and Lauterbach with conspiracy. The indictment against Lauterbach, Dist.-Atty. Marshall said, will be pressed at an early date.

NINE FILIBUSTERS CAPTURED.

Mexicans, Heavily Armed, Are Taken in Charge by U. S. Cavalrymen on the International Line.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BROWNSVILLE (Tex.) Dec. 3.—Nine Mexicans, heavily armed, part of an alleged filibustering expedition of twenty-five members, were captured by United States cavalrymen near Hidalgo, Tex., last night, according to a report received here today. The capture was made after an exciting chase.

The Mexicans had gathered at McAllen, Tex., whence they were proceeding toward the Rio Grande. Reports reaching here indicated that this party of twenty-five was only a portion of a larger filibustering expedition.

Maj. Auturo Marmanio, one of the captured Mexicans, said the expedition was aimed at capturing Reynosa, Mex., a border point sixty miles up the Rio Grande from here. He said that the attack, planned for today, probably would be postponed because of the vigilance of the United States soldiers. Most of the men captured were officers.

POSTMISTRESS AN EMBEZZLER.

Woman Pleads Guilty to Charge of Stealing Funds from Office at Austin, Or.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 3.—Mrs. Molly Irwin, formerly postmistress at Austin, Or., pleaded guilty in the United States District Court here today to a charge of having embezzled $1650 government funds.

Mrs. Irwin was arrested May 1, last and for two months she was in jail here, but finally obtained her liberty under bond. She persisted in her claim of innocence until today.

CHICAGO CAFES DANCELESS.

Club Women Succeed in Killing Ordinance Which Would Have Livened up Windy City.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Club women who have vigorously opposed a proposed ordinance which would sanction dancing in cafes were victorious today when a subcommittee of the Council Judiciary Committee tabled the measure. Many of the city's more prominent women attended meetings of the committee and argued against permitting the new dances in public places where liquor is sold.

Graft.

PAID POLICE FOR PROTECTION.

Scandal is Unearthed in the Chicago Department.

Clairvoyant Says He Gave up Four Hundred a Month.

Evidence to be Presented to the Grand Jury Today.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—In spite of the $400 monthly payment for police protection, Frank Ryan, alleged head of a "clairvoyant ring" that operated in Chicago until recently, received from $3000 to $6000 a month as his share of the swindling operations, he told MacLay Hoyne, State's Attorney, in a written confession made public tonight.

In addition to the large monthly police payments, Ryan said he paid an average of $25 to $100 weekly to help buy flowers for some patrolman who had lost a member of his family. He also said it took a neat sum to entertain properly the out-of-town policemen who frequently came with warrants for members of the clairvoyants.

Ryan was captured in Detroit a few weeks ago. He is very ill of tuberculosis and his confession was made, Hoyne said, on the promise that it would keep him from dying in the penitentiary. It was partly on the strength of Ryan's confession, according to the State's Attorney, that Hoyne offered Capt. Halpin, former chief of detectives, and a score of his men, a chance to resign.

Ryan paid his protection money, he said, through Barney Bertsche, a ward politician, recently shot in a downtown revolver fight with two detectives. "When I first came to Chicago in 1911 I paid $500 a month for police protection," he said. "For my end I usually got from $3000 to $6000 monthly. Once I cleaned up $36,000 in three months.

"Detectives came here from New York that year and showed me a phony warrant on which they said they were going to take me back unless I settled on a $2500 bond I had jumped. That was from a job I did in Boston. When the detectives from Boston came for me in New York I fixed it so that I was arrested by the New York police on a phony charge so that I would not have to go back to Boston and probably go to the penitentiary. I was released on $2500 bond and skipped to Chicago.

"Those New York fellows knew I had jumped a bond and knew it would be easy to hold me up. Well, I guess it was.

"When I refused to pay up they threatened to tell the State's Attorney, so that in the end I gave them $2900, and $400 for expenses. That bond has not yet been settled.

"I can't kick on the police not giving me the protection I paid for, though. During the year and a half I was in business I never had to go to a police station. Whenever there was a complaint against me the police always telephoned they were coming over with the complainant and I would take the afternoon off. A partner would be shown and of course the complainant could not identify him."

Ryan will submit the confession to the grand jury tomorrow, according to Hoyne.

In spite of his promise of immunity from Hoyne, Ryan is in trouble with the Federal government, and a deputy marshal armed with a Federal warrant attempted to arrest him tonight, but was unable to learn where he had been secreted. Ryan has been under Federal indictment for two years on a charge of using the mails to defraud.

The Federal officials tomorrow will make a formal demand upon Hoyne for the custody of Ryan.

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Proper diet, fresh air and temperate habits aid persons suffering from Tuberculosis. Often more is needed. Reports show that Eckman's Alterative has brought about many recoveries. Read what it did in this case:—

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BRANTNER SURRENDERS.

Head of Band of Alleged Land Swindlers in Portland Comes Back for Trial.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 3.—To face a charge of using the mails in furtherance of a scheme to defraud in the location of settlers on the land of the Oregon and California grant, Fred Brantner, an alleged conspirator with J. W. Logan and Dan J. Conners, who were convicted and are now in the Federal prison at McNeil's Island, returned voluntarily to Portland today, and surrendered to the custody of United States District Attorney Clarence S. Reames.

Brantner's return was of his own volition. He had been in Vancouver, B. C., after the finding of the indictment by the Federal grand jury, but although he was safe from arrest he telegraphed Mr. Reames last week that he would come to Portland and give himself up.

He is charged by the government with having been a leader in the alleged conspiracy.

WELFARE WORK.

Permanent Exhibition to be Opened in New York—Officers Are Elected for the Ensuing Year.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—A permanent walfare work exhibition was opened in this city today by the welfare department of the National Civic Federation, which will open its annual meeting in this city tomorrow.

The women's department of the federation held its annual session today and re-elected the following officers: Chairman, Miss Maude Wetmore; treasurer, Miss Anne Morgan; secretary, Mrs. Roger Bacon.

Mrs. Archibald Hopkins, chairman of the District of Columbia branch, outlined welfare work which has been undertaken by the Bureau of Engraving at Washington.

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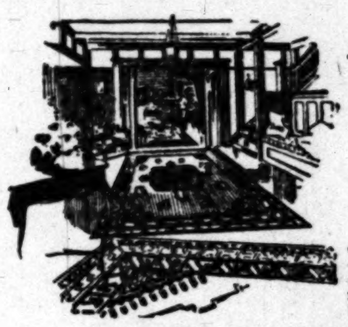

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A sale that includes five hundred pairs of handsome lace curtains, any of them worth $1.75 or $2.00 a pair. Floral effects, with insertion borders. 2½ and 3½ yards long. Choice of white, cream or beige colors. Priced for this sale—$1.00 a pair.

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White, cream and beige colored curtain nets, in beautiful designs. 36 inches wide. Regular 20c grade for 12½c yard.

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15c & 20c Val... 9½c

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$2.00 and $2.50 Coatings $1.50

Handsome all-wool coatings—diagonals, checks, stripes and novelty mixtures, 54 inches wide. Coatings that sell regularly for $2.00 and $2.50 a yard. A special at $1.50 a yard.

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Silk velvets of the usual $1.00 and $1.25 quality for 79c today. Plain and paon velvets in all wanted colors.

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Silk waist patterns for Xmas gifts. Satins, messalines, taffetas, etc. $1.50 and $1.98 for the pattern.

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Fine chambray ginghams with a China linen finish. Plain colors, checks and stripes. 12½c and 15c regularly. 7½c a yard.

12½c Outings 8 1-3c

Double-fleeced warm outing flannels, in checks, plaids, stripes and plain colors. 27 inches wide. Regular 12½c grade, on sale for 8 1-3c yard.

12½c Muslin 8½c

Fine, soft muslin, full bleached, not a particle of dressing in it. The usual 12½c quality, on sale for 8½c yard.

25c Towels 15c

Heavy mercerized Turkish bath towels, plain colors and some with colored borders. Slight imperfections or they'd be marked 25c and 29c. 20x36 and 20x42-inch sizes. Sale price—15c each.

10c Crash 5c Yard

Heavy cotton crash toweling for general kitchen use and roller towels. 18 inches wide. The regular 10c quality, on sale for 5c a yard.

30c Sheeting 25c

The genuine Pepperell sheetings, bleached and unbleached. 2 1-4 yards wide. 30c grade, on sale for 25c a yard.

20c Pillow Cases 12½c

Fine and heavy pillow cases that sell regularly for 20c each. 42 or 45x36 inches. Plain hems or hemstitched. Sale price—12½c each.

—see Window Displays

"NO, Christmas has not missed its errand on earth. Good will, not force, is saving the World. Though some of us cannot be exactly Merry this Yule-tide we can at least be kind and try to make others happy—try and hang holly wreaths on others' hearts."
—Jacquilin Cleaux.

—his Gift Here

(N. B.—the numbers refer to the numbered lists of masculined gift suggestions below.)

Friend—2, 41, 48, 10, 3
Father—44, 45, 4, 1, 48
Husband—48, 2, 10, 6, 15
Son—41, 10, 4, 3, 6
Brother—7, 12, 25, 28, 4
Uncle—26, 44, 12, 47, 48
Grandfather—5, 15, 26, 42, 1
Musician—6, 4, 41, 26, 10
Artist—5, 1, 48, 23, 3
Actor—3, 48, 10, 6, 41
Invalid—1, 8, 2, 10, 26
Golfer—49, 23, 9, 3, 40
Motorist—49, 1, 8, 45, 48
Traveler—14, 9, 8, 32, 20
College Man—1, 3, 47, 24, 10
Clubman—31, 6, 2, 41, 48
Reporter—3, 2, 1, 10, 48
Doctor—45, 48, 2, 6, 9
Lawyer—5, 11, 48, 23, 10
Office Man—2, 10, 29, 12, 48
Salesman—33, 48, 22, 12, 1
Writer—23, 48, 47, 10, 6
Sportsman—40, 1, 48, 23, 8

MEN the world over receive Christmas gifts but the man who receives an F. B. Silverwood-ed gift doesn't merely receive a gift, he receives something deeper, something akin to the desire inside him.

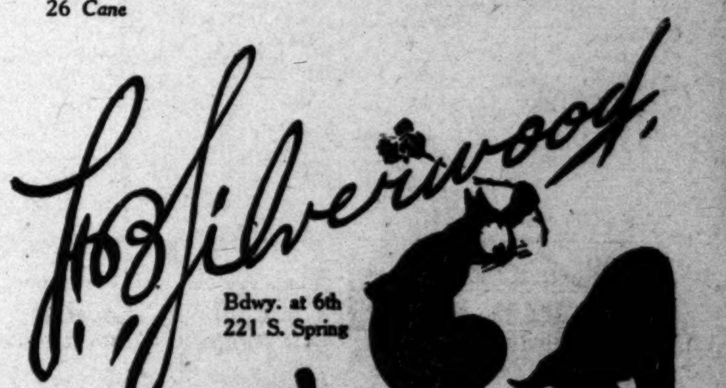
—the home of Hart Schaffner & Marx $18 to $40 Clothes.

Copyright Hart Schaffner & Marx

—use Numbers in Deciding

(*NUMBERS—refer to classified list of men above, what each might prefer.)

1 *Sweater Coat $2.50 to $27.50*
2 *"Regence" cravat $1*
3 *Initial belt $1.50 to $10*
4 *Silk shirt $5 to $10*
5 *House coat $5 to $22.50*
6 *Tuxedo hat $5*
7 *Pajamas $1.50 to $15*
8 *Auto rug $7.50 to $15*
9 *Thermos bottle*
10 *Irish linen kerchiefs*
11 *Traveling bag*
12 *Cravat*
13 *Accordion silk hosiery*
14 *Pullman slippers*
15 *Underwear*
16 *Military brushes*
17 *Umbrella*
18 *Silk hat*
19 *Smoker's articles*
20 *Jewelry case*
21 *Coin purse*
22 *Drinking cup*
23 *Match cravat set*
24 *Tango set*
25 *Tango shirt*
26 *Cane*
27 *Manicure set*
28 *Hat (order)*
29 *Desk set*
30 *Collar bag*
31 *Kerchief wallet*
32 *Hosiery case*
33 *Memo book*
34 *Night robe*
35 *Raincoat*
36 *Silk garters*
37 *Fancy vest*
38 *Collar buttons*
39 *Traveler's cap*
40 *Golf cap*
41 *Tango requisites*
42 *Hosiery*
43 *H.S.&M. suit*
44 *H.S.&M. overcoat*
45 *Auto gloves*
46 *Auto coat*
47 *Study robe*
48 *Christmas order—let him select his own gift.*
49 *Mackinaw coat*



F. B. Silverwood.

Bdwy. at 6th
221 S. Spring

—order by Post

Classified Liners.

Times Classified rates: The rate for inserting Want Ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday issue, 1½c per word each insertion; minimum charge, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge 30c daily, 35c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices, Miscellaneous," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan, Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," Detectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and Massage."

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 o'clock Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m., Saturday. Ads received after closing hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 95,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times;" Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephone advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

The Times constantly endeavors to render its patrons satisfactory and efficient service, and it will appreciate complaints of, and make a proper adjustment for any material errors it may make in printed announcements.

"Be quick to kick if things seem wrong,
But kick to us, and make it strong."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, send communications to this newspaper, and have "liner" and other advertisements inserted, bronze letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated.

Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions, and heading under which it is desired that the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

BRYSON BLDG., 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. Broadway. (Lobby near elevator.)
BUMILLER BLDG., 429 S. Broadway. (Near elevator in lobby.)
COLUMBIA TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
DELTA BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GARLAND BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Near elevator in lobby.)
GERMAIN BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
GROSSE BLDG., SIXTH AND SPRING STS. (Near elevator in lobby.)
HIGGINS BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (In lobby near elevator.)
H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING. (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
HIBERNIAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
L. A. INV. BLDG., 758 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
LANKERSHIM BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
LAUGHLIN BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
MARSH-STRONG BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN. (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
MASON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
MERCHANTS TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. Mail Box.)
O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (Near elevator in Lobby.)
PACIFIC ELECTRIC BLDG., 608-10 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. Main st. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

The location of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

IMITATING CONTEMPORARIES PLEASE COPY, AS USUAL.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

REDIPHONES—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF these handy telephone attachments, which are being distributed in connection with coupon books, valued at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. Phone Main 8200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," collecting at the same time for the coupons delivered. One "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to each purchaser.

EXPERIENCED PRIVATE DETECTIVE SOLICITS LEGITIMATE WORK OF ALL KINDS BY THE HOUR, DAY OR CASE; DOMESTIC TROUBLES A SPECIALTY; VERY REASONABLE RATES; INSTALLMENT PAYMENTS; ABSOLUTELY CONFIDENTIAL; FREE LEGAL ADVICE; NOT AN AGENCY. PHONE MAIN 2846, DAY OR NIGHT.

FOR SALE — CHEAP, 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes, and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

PREPARED ROOFING AND WATERPROOFED paper from $1 per roll up; free city delivery; any quantity. WEAVER ROOF CO., Mfrs., 339 E. Second. Broadway 784, Home F2855.

HOME TREATMENT FOR EPILEPSY AND FITS. F. M. COX, 1011 S. Harvard blvd., Los Angeles, will send free pamphlet. 25 years' success and over 1000 testimonials in 1 year.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS— For the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

CESSPOOLS CLEANED IN ONE OR TWO LOADS by the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO. Phones: 59146 or Wilshire 598.

FROM DEC. 3, I WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE for any debts or bills rendered by Mrs. E. T. Carter. E. T. CARTER.

OLD ROOFS REPAIRED AND GUARANTEED. UNION ASPHALT AND GRAVEL ROOFING CO., South 4194.

HANDY MAN WOULD LIKE ANY KIND OF WORK. Phone WILSHIRE 3874.

DENTISTRY PLATES, $4; NATIONAL PAINLESS DENTISTS, southeast corner Third and Main.

FOR QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

CONSULT ME ABOUT SELLING BY MAIL—MAIL-order departments organized and developed for any business. Address D, box 193, TIMES OFFICE, or Phone South 4154.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

PULVERIZED SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS and flowers. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 N. Mott, 41536; Boyle 1665.

PERSONAL—

Business.

PERSONAL— MRS. MASSON, The noted palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 822 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring careful, conscientious and reliable hand readings from one of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

PERSONAL—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles. Largest practice; highest grade of work. High-class patronage solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

PERSONAL— HENLEY, LEADING SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC, READINGS DAILY. 817 W. THIRD ST., NEAR HILL.

PERSONAL—FROM DECEMBER 2, 1914, I WILL not be held responsible for any bills or debts rendered by Mrs. Clara Simon Scott. MR. R. B. SCOTT.

PERSONAL—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS of The Times are requested to submit copy for advertisements in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

PERSONAL—WANTED—SOME ONE GOING TO CHICAGO to take two little orphan girls for part expenses. Address W, box 407, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

PERSONAL—MME JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMist and psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH ST. Take Griffith ave. car.

PERSONAL—JOHN SLATER, CIRCLE TONIGHT, 8 sharp, BURBANK HALL, 542 S. Main st., under auspices Peoples' Spiritualist Church.

PERSONAL— For quick action, drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL—

Business.

PERSONAL — FOR SALE CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL moving picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

PERSONAL—CORSETS MADE, ALTERED AND cleaned, reasonable. Stout women call and have a perfect fitting corset made. MME. COVERT, 1547 W. 7th st.

PERSONAL—DENTISTRY PLATES, $4. NATIONAL PAINLESS DENTISTS, southeast corner Third and Main.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. Best 50c readings in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

WANTED—

Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—

SALESMEN.

We are opening a new Harbor Tract in the very center of the industrial district. We want a few "top notch" harbor men. We pay 8 per cent and a bonus. Come in and see me Friday or Saturday morning after 10 a.m.

A. E. MONTEITH, sales manager,
CAMPBELL-BENTLEY COMPANY,
820 Story Bldg.

WANTED — RELIABLE, CONSERVATIVE SALESpeople to assist in pre-holiday sale fine jewelry. Apply 9 a.m. Friday, S. B. BAILEY, 837 S. Broadway. Come prepared to give references.

WANTED—WE FURNISH THE BEST LINE OF prospects ever handed salesmen. All live leads. We furnish you with automobile transportation for your prospects at any time. We back you with a big clever advertising campaign and afford you the heartiest of co-operation. If you are a finished capable closer and are willing to hit the line all the time you will find it much to your advantage to investigate this proposition. WILLIAM K. MEAD, General Sales Manager, Fernando Fruit Farms. Home Builders, 813 Washington Bldg.

WANTED—FIVE MEN UNDER 35, GOOD PHYSICAL condition, to prepare for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS, this State. Good starting salary, promotion and permanent position. See at once, MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Instruction adv.) Special evening hours, 7 to 8:30.

WANTED—RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS FOR CALIFORNIA. Salary $900 yearly, with extra expense money; promotion to $1800. For successful coaching see at once, MISS WILSON, 604 Citizens Natl. Bank Bldg., Third and Main. Open evenings, 7 to 9.

WANTED—ACTIVE SALESMEN ON A VERY CHOICE acreage subdivision, where your earnings are limited only by your own activity. If you will work as hard for yourself as you would for another for wages, you can make big money with us. MORRISON & RIEMANN, Sales Managers, 718 Trust & Savings Bldg., Sixth and Spring sts.

WANTED—A FEW CAPABLE MEN WITH BUSINESS experience to prepare for the CUSTOMHOUSE AND INTERNAL REVENUE SERVICE. For successful coaching on this, see at once MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Instruction adv.) Special evening hours, 7 to 8:30.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, SEVERAL CAPABLE men to prepare for CUSTOMHOUSE and INTERNAL REVENUE POSITIONS. Examination soon. For successful coaching see at once, MISS WILSON, 604 Citizens Natl. Bank Bldg., Third and Main.

WANTED—THREE INTELLIGENT MEN TO REPresent prominent national bank and present new plan for securing savings accounts. Nothing to sell. Men with experience in selling insurance, stocks and bonds preferred. Our men now making $4 to $6 per day. Permanent work. Call between 11:30 and 12:30, 1402 BAKER-DETWILER BLDG.

WANTED—MEN TO OPERATE ELEVATORS, OPportunity for free tuition; we teach electric and hydraulic, guarantee city license; first and only legitimate school in Los Angeles; established present location four years. Help secure positions. 602 PANTAGES THEATER BLDG.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE OF automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, on contract work. Actual contract jobs, not school toys. Only few months required. THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL, 234 Aliso st. See ad., "Learn Trades column."

WANTED—SALESMEN TO SELL AUTO TRUCKS on the payment plan, made in Los Angeles, auto experience unnecessary, ability absolutely necessary. Liberal commission and permanent position to the right man. See MR. PALMER, 1312 S. Grand ave.

WANTED—A MAN TO MANAGE A BRANCH OF our business, established in this city; must be bright and capable; must be under 60 years of age and possess $250 for necessary expense; $150 to $200 per month to right man. For interview PHONE 556408.

WANTED—NEAT-APPEARING BOY WITH WHEEL, one living with parents and over 18 preferred. Apply THE OWL DRUG CO., Delivery Department, 625 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO SHOW PROPERTY. PREvious experience unnecessary; can make $100 to $300 per month; good chance for a sober, steady man to become permanently identified with a large company. Call at once. 200-207 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., corner Spring and Fourth.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, UNDER 28, LOCAL wholesale experience; assistant credit men, under 35, willing to leave town; kodak salesman; assistant credit clerk, furniture experience, Nevada; bookkeeper, automobile experience. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 620 Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD-paying trade, automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. See our adv. under "Learn Trade," NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED — TWO A1 VACUUM CLEANER SALESmen; want men used to big profits; best machine on the market. C. F. ADAMS CO., 806 E. Seventh street.

WANTED—CASH BOYS. Wages $4.50 week. VILLE DE PARIS.

WANTED—COLLECTOR FOR INSTALLMENT BUSIness; must be wide awake and willing to work hard; must be able to ride bicycle; bond required; salary and commission. Apply this morning at 9 a.m., 937 S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN, 17-20 (WHITE,) WITH motorcycle, for collecting, $40 start and gas and oil; good opportunity for bright young man. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE CO., 620 Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CHINA AND GLASSware salesman for our dinner-ware department; must understand the dinner-ware lines. Apply with references. JANTZEN-RAILSBACK CO., 722 S. Hill.

WANTED — HIGH-GRADE ADVERTISING SALESmen for unique publicity medium; must be able to deliver the goods. After 9:00, PACIFIC SPOTLIGHT, 522 Stimson Bldg.

WANTED—BRIGHT, STRONG BOY WANTED FOR shipping and messenger, one who knows the city preferred; five dollars a week. Address G, box 265, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CARPENTER HAVING BACK YARD AT home, able to build rabbit pens, $3 day, nearly steady work. Give phone number. Address G, box 36, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TEACHER OF COMMERCIAL BRANCHES in business college; state experience and qualifications, salary $80 per month. Address W, box 498, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN ABOUT 18 YEARS OLD, good at figures, not afraid of work, lives at home, references required. PACIFIC SERVICE CO., 531 Mason Bldg.

WANTED — TAILOR TO DO BUSHELING AND keep stock in wholesale clothing house, must be experienced clothing stacker. Call at 10 a.m., 380 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

WANTED—NEAT-APPEARING SOLICITORS TO SELL fine 50c bungalow book at 25c for holidays. 50 per cent. commission. MR. HENRY, 216 Hollingsworth.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED SOLICITOR, GOOD opening. CALMAN STUDIO, 38 Pine ave., Long Beach.

WANTED—STEADY BOY OR MAN TO MILK AND take care of 7 cows and deliver on small route; small wages; good home; close in. ELEVATOR, 182½ S. Spring.

WANTED—BE INDEPENDENT! LEARN THE BARber trade; reasonable terms; best place; highest wages while learning. THE NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 129 E. Second st.

WANTED — SALESMAN OF GOOD APPEARANCE for parts and accessories; familiar with motorcycles. C. W. RISDEN, 1115 S. Olive.

WANTED — SUBSCRIPTION AGENT FOR DAILY German newspaper, on commission and salary. Honest person. No bums. 230 FRANKLIN ST.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER, UNDERSTANDING FURniture selling and collecting; no tobacco user; references. Address AH, box 46, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 NEAT MEN, SPLENDID OPPORTUNITY, experience unnecessary. Call this morning, 917½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—JEWELER. WANTED, THE SERVICES of an experienced and reliable jewelry salesman. Apply 312 UNION OIL BLDG. Ask for MR. DOTY.

WANTED—4 GOOD MINERS TO JOIN US ON THE profit-sharing plan. Apply 230 DOUGLAS BLDG. for particulars.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR. SEE AD. UNDER INvestment Required, 109 E. 35TH ST.

WANTED—TWO FIRST-CLASS SALESMEN. ADdress D, box 185, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AT ONCE, A GOOD BUSHELMAN ON ladies' and gents' garments. 2092 W. PICO.

WANTED—

Help, Male and Female. Investment Required.)

WANTED—A HIGH-CLASS HONEST MAN AS MANager and office man; must have at least $2500 cash; good references; no one that drinks or smokes cigarettes need answer; want answer in own handwriting, giving residence street and number, phone etc.; give in first letter about yourself. Address G, box 50, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SOBER, INDUSTRIOUS MAN TO WORK in and help manage a fast-growing business, who can furnish $250, with his services; will pay $135 per month; no previous experience necessary; clean, agreeable work. Call 430 S. BROADWAY, room 605.

WANTED—I NEED A GOOD, RELIABLE MAN WHO can invest $350, with services, to work in and manage old-established ground-floor business; no previous experience necessary; will pay $30 per week. Call 641 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—USE YOUR SPARE TIME TO BUILD UP a mail order business of your own. We help you start for a share in profits. 27 opportunities. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED—MANAGER OF BRANCH OFFICE FOR incorporated company, who can make small investment, salary and commission; this is not real estate, but a live business enterprise. Call 9 to 11, 2 to 5. 546 S. L. A. ST. Third floor.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN IN ESTABLISHED CONtracting business, plenty work, small capital required. Apply 313 FAY BLDG. Third and Hill.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR; HAVE CAR READY FOR a driver to go to work; must make small investment in company. 109 E. 35TH ST.

WANTED—LADY PARTNER TO HELP INTRODUCE new invention; small investment. Address V, box 585, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—

Help, Female.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED—

EMPLOYERS—

As a citizen and taxpayer it is your duty to read this "Ad."

The city maintains a Municipal Free Employment Bureau, where the standard of efficiency required of applicants is unusually high. Personal investigation is made and only the capable and efficient sent to prospective employers.

This bureau will fill any position, from scrub woman to office manager, absolutely free of charge either to employer or employee.

MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Men's Department, 208 Franklin street.
Women's Department, 207 So. Broadway.
Private exchange connecting both departments.
Broadway 6624. Home 10757.

WANTED—WELL-INFORMED, EDUCATED AND REfined woman as advertising writer and saleswoman in furniture store; want some one who can prepare "copy" which will describe the desirability of goods with some human interest—not merely dry, technical terms; also to assist in selling part of time; advertising and sales experience, or knowledge of period furniture styles not essential, but given preference; salary at rate of $75 per month; position possibly permanent with increase, if services prove sufficiently productive. Apply in own handwriting (state if can use typewriter with ordinary speed) and give all possible information regarding qualifications; mention references, telephone, etc. Address HOME FURNISHER, W. box 400, Times Branch Office.

WANTED — ADVERTISER ABOUT TO PLACE ON market a high-class necessity in great demand by the ladies; wish to secure the services of a young or middle-aged woman of agreeable personality, and a convincing talker, who can exploit our article in a strong and persuasive manner to the public; we predict a great future for our product, and to the right person is offered an exceptional opportunity; with splendid financial advantages; confidences respected. Address with phone number, V, box 561, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—TUCKER'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 211½ W. Second st.
Waitress, cafe, Arizona, $40, fd.; 2 waitresses, Arizona, $20, fd. and fare; 3 dinner waitresses, hotel, city; (8) restaurant waitresses, $7 week; 2 hotel waitresses, country, $30; chambermaid, $25 and apartment; housekeeper for 2 men on ranch, $25; 2 ranch cooks, $35; one, $25; serving girls for cafeterias; dinner cook, $14 week; cook for tea-room, $12; new positions daily.

WANTED— HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY, Elizabeth Keliher, Manager, 254 S. Broadway.
Experienced cafe waitresses, city, $8 per week and meals; experienced candy clerks, $9 per week; cook and general work, 3 adults, $40 etc.; cook and second girl, 3 in family, $35 etc.; $25 etc.; cooking and general work, city, $40 etc.; butler, city, $50 etc.; upstairs and sewing, $35 etc.; second girl, city, $30 etc.; second girl, family of 2, Redlands, $30 etc.

WANTED—
Delicatessen clerk, $10 a week.
Waitress, restaurant, country, $30 and found.
Housekeeper, woman with child, $20 and found.
Housegirl, city, $35 and found.
HUMMEL BROS. & CO., Employment Agents, 116 E. Second.

WANTED — LAW STENOGRAPHER AND DICTAphone operator, $60, $65 start; good opportunity; girl stenographer, experienced in orange and fruit business, $55, $65; Temp. L. C. Smith stenographer, $2.50, $3 per day; Elliott-Fisher billers, comptometer operators. Apply 8 a.m., CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 620 Brockman Bldg., Seventh and Grand.

WANTED—AS HOUSEKEEPER, WOMAN, MIDDLE-aged, quiet and refined; able to take complete charge of home and baby girl, 2 years old; must be experienced housekeeper and good cook; will pay $25 per month. Inquire for MR. MUELLER, 616 S. Spring st. No objection to child under 3 years.

WANTED—$50 TO $100 AND PERMANENT INcome can be made before Christmas by lady who is well acquainted. Best magazine proposition ever presented. Address or call on JOEL SMITH, 314 Lankershim Bldg., Los Angeles. Phone F5919.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED GENTLEMAN, SEMI-INvalid, desires neat lady housekeeper, with little child preferred; good home and small wages; also competent nurse to take working interest in new private sanitarium; no money required. Room 1, 230 W. FIRST ST.

WANTED—CASH GIRLS. Wages $4.50 week. VILLE DE PARIS.

WANTED—YOUNG, EXPERIENCED CLOAK AND suit saleslady for good suburban town, salary $65; 2 glove fitters at once, $10. Apply PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO., Agency, 608 Fay Bldg. Third and Hill sts.

WANTED — HOUSEGIRL, NICE COUNTRY HOME, $40; German housegirl, 2 in family, $35; Swedish second maid, Santa Barbara, $25; housegirls, city and country, $20 to $40. SWEDISH AND GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES, WE TEACH YOU THE SWEDish massage. You can get the baths, massage, FREE, while learning. 206½ S. BROADWAY. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED—ONE OR TWO LADY SOLICITORS IN each town to call on women at their residences. Can make $3 to $5 per day. Address BOX 978, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—LADIES LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, hair manufacturing, FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile place, corner Broadway. See Learn Trades Adv.

WANTED—WOMEN, ALL TOWNS IN CALIFORNIA, to represent Dr. Young's sanitary goods; 100 per cent. profit. Write for particulars. CUNNING, 222 West 9th.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening; LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile Place. Mrs. Harris. See adv. To Learn Trades.

WANTED —— STUDENTS ENROLLING DAILY FOR Gregg shorthand, book-keeping, telegraphy, English branches. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth. See "Instruction Course" adv.

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WANTED—ELDERLY COLORED WOMAN TO HELP take care of 2-year-old baby; good home, small wages. HOME phone 72979.

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WANTED—TAILORESS, EXPERIENCED WOMAN IN alteration department. Apply at 452 S. SPRING STREET.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED GERMAN WOMAN FOR general housework, $20 per month. 3031 ROYAL STREET.

WANTED — SINGERS AND DANCERS, ENGAGEment secured; must mean business. Call 1 to 3, 408 S. FREMONT. Apartment J.

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WANTED—SINGLE WOMAN, NOT PAST 40, FOR bathhouse work in springs. Inquire at DR. REIDL'S School of Drugless Healing, 954 S. Broadway, Los Angeles.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE GIRL, STEnographer preferred, $5 per week; also saleslady, one experienced preferred, $10 per week. Call between 5:30 to 6 in the morning at 315 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—HEALTHY, REFINED YOUNG WOMAN to care for invalid lady, small compensation. 1252 FIELDING ST., Hollywood.

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WANTED—CARPENTER, GOOD ALL-AROUND MAN, wants job. $3 day. WILSHIRE 3411.

WANTED—

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WANTED—TUTORING. A young woman, graduate of an eastern college, will tutor small children in private family; references exchanged. Address D, box 130, TIMES OFFICE.

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FOR SALE—CHICKEN RANCH, $1500; $25 DOWN, $10 MONTH. 631 SPRING. SECOND FLOOR. ELLIS.

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FOR SALE—NEARLY NEW PASSENGER-CARRYING auto truck, cost $5000, used about 6 months. Owner must have $900 at once. See MR. HULL, 402 Black Bldg. Main 2161.

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Professor Who has Seen Much of Uncivilized Portion of the Globe Gives Reasons Why He has Never been Harmed—Says Indian is Savior of Mexico.

Danger does not exist for the traveler who has no fear and who does not court adventure. This is the simple formula for facing all manner of perils, according to Prof. Frederick Starr, one of the world's leading anthropologists, and explorer of many savage lands. Prof. Starr, who is the head of the department of anthropology at the University of Chicago, is resting a few days at the Trinity Hotel before returning to the East.

In the course of hundreds of expeditions which he has made into barbarous foreign lands Prof. Starr states that he has never been wounded or seriously attacked, and has never had occasion to defend himself with firearms. "I do not consider that I have a charmed life, but merely that I have used the proper discretion when encountering danger which is to be met with everywhere in the world. The man who ordinarily succumbs to danger has fear or foolhardiness inherent in him. One is as liable to have one's head knocked off in Los Angeles as in darkest Congo.

"As my work for the University of Chicago is the study of the different races and tribes of people, I have had to seek them out in all parts of the world. Much of this service in the interest of science has been recognized and commended by the various rulers of Europe. Queen Wilhelmina bestowed the silver service medal upon me for my work in behalf of the national museums of Holland. I was made an Officer of Public Instruction in France for similar work; the late King Leopold of Belgium decorated me as an officer of the Order of Leopold the Second, and the present King Albert raised me to the position of commander, and recently I was honored by the King of Italy with the office of Chevalier of the Order of the Crown of Italy for my interest in the International Museum at Rome.

"My study and research work in anthropology has been confined chiefly to Mexico, Korea, Japan, and the Congo, in Central Africa. The results of these studies have been published, and have their value in the scientific world. I have encountered 100 widely differing people, and heard an equal number of different tongues, but the countries I have just mentioned have yielded the most interesting discoveries.

"My twenty-two expeditions into Mexico have convinced me that the Mexican Indian has great intellectual possibilities, and that within his hands is the ultimate working out of the problems of Mexico. The greatest Mexican President was an Indian, so also its greatest literary light, and its most famous sculptor. The hope of Mexico is in its Indian blood, not in its sprinkling of Spanish. Huerta, who was an Indian, was one of Mexico's most powerful and competent men. I have known personally all the men of importance in Mexico within the past twenty years, and I wish to say that of those now in the public eye that Villa is an irresponsible bandit, and never can be anything else, while Carranza is a weakling, incapable of accomplishing anything of merit."

Questioned as to the relation of the Mexican Indian to the American Indian, Prof. Starr declared that there is no relation whatsoever, that the Indians of North America had their origins from widely different parent stocks. America in that early day was a melting pot, just as it is today, and received immigrants from various quarters of the earth. Some Indians came from a white European source, others from the brown Islanders, and others from yellow Asiatics.

U.S.W.V. ELECT OFFICERS.

Arthur C. Jewell was last night elected Commander of Roosevelt Camp, United Spanish War Veterans, to succeed Daniel K. Smyth. The annual election of officers was held at Patriotic Hall, and brought out a big attendance of veterans. The other officers elected are: Senior Vice-Commander, John M. Kane; Junior Vice, Byron Kilton; Officer of the Day, C. B. Marsh; Officer of the Guard, W. B. Doyle; Trustees (three years,) E. A. Lane; (two years) Dr. Albert Tierman; representative on Patriotic Hall Executive Committee, P. C. Mulqueeny. Next Thursday night there will be a formal installation of a number of distinguished members of the G.A.R., who have been elected to honorary membership in Roosevelt Camp.

WANTED—TO BUY FOR CASH, GOOD UPRIGHT piano, standard make; give age and price. Address V, box 598 TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

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Olivet College Reunion.

Former students and alumni of Olivet College, Michigan, will hold a reunion tomorrow at Christopher's. There will be a business meeting at 11 o'clock a.m., followed by a luncheon at 12:30.

Lunch in Patriotic Hall.

Today at noon, in Patriotic Hall, Hall of Records, the women of Stanton Relief Corps will serve lunch for the last time this year. They solicit the patronage of the public and promise a good dinner.

Editors to Grand Canyon.

Sixty-five members of the Southern California Editorial Association will leave today by special train over the Santa Fe for the Grand Canyon to spend tomorrow and Sunday. They will return here Monday.

Service at Sinai Temple.

Mendelssohn's "Elijah" in condensed form, will be sung by an augmented choir in Sinai Temple this evening. Mrs. Karl Stern will read a paper on the life of Mendelssohn. Rev. J. Weinstock will officiate.

Denver Preacher to Speak.

Dr. John C. Page of Denver will speak tonight in Immanuel Presbyterian Church, at the Bible class of the Bible Institute. He is a preacher of note in the Congregational Church and interested persons are urged to hear him. The class is entirely free to the public.

Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works.

The Women's Circle of the Wilshire Boulevard Christian Church will present "Mrs. Jarley's Wax Works" this evening, under the direction of Miss Florence Clark. There will be an entire evening of entertainment and fun. The patronage of the public is invited.

Use Real Stamps Also.

Persons purchasing and using Red Cross stamps are requested by the postoffice authorities to remember that they must not be placed on the front of letters or on any letter intended for a foreign country, or they will be held for postage. They must be posted on the back if at all, in order to avoid a penalty.

Bauer Funeral Today.

Funeral services over the remains of Charles F. Bauer, a solicitor for The Times, who passed away Monday, will be held today at Overholtzer's funeral parlors. Owing to a typographical error the day of the funeral was misstated in yesterday's paper. The services will take place at 2 o'clock p.m. Mr. Bauer died as a result of injuries sustained in an accident.

Holiday Job Seekers.

The postmaster has received applications of more than 400 persons for employment as clerks and carriers during the coming holiday season. Just when any extra men will be put to work is not known, as there is no way of securing advance information in regard to the size of the Christmas trade. In any event, no other applications will be taken, and it is almost a certainty that the number now on file will be more than can be used. These persons will be asked to call when conditions warrant their employment.

"Orange Empire Trolley Trip."

Assistant Manager Pederson of the Alexandria Hotel was awarded the first prize yesterday by the Pacific Electric in its contest for an appropriate name and symbol for the new trolley trip that the company will start January 3 to the Redlands-Riverside-San Bernardino orange district. The name he suggested is "Orange empire trolley trip." Miss Sadie Garrett of Anaheim, who suggested "Golden loop trolley trip," with symbol, was awarded second prize. The prizes were $50 and $25, respectively. More than 2000 suggestions were received.

Dinner to Federal Judge.

Wednesday evening at 6 o'clock in the Hollenbeck Hotel, men friends of Judge Bledsoe, irrespective of political affiliations, will honor him with an informal banquet by reason of his recent appointment to be a judge of the United States District Court. You are one of those cordially invited to attend, and a prompt answer is requested as to whether you will come. The price per plate will be $1, and to insure your reservation you should remit that amount by postal order or draft payable to the undersigned. For the committee, yours truly, T. H. Kirk, care Hollenbeck Hotel, Los Angeles.

Temple B'nai B'rith.

Sabbath services at The Temple will be held this evening at 8 o'clock, and tomorrow morning at 10:30 o'clock, with the children's service preceding, at 9:45 o'clock. Dr. Hecht will conduct the services and speak this evening on "The Dawn of Truth." Tomorrow morning he will give an expository talk on the current Scripture lesson, and deliver a sermonette to the children. The music this evening will include the beautiful song by Hascall, entitled: "Teach Me Thy Will" for contralto, sung by Miss Kie J. Christin. The chorals will be rendered by the Temple choir, according to Prof. Wald's arrangement.

Seeks Lost Son.

Mrs. Elizabeth Harangozo of No. 966 Terrace Forty-nine appeared at Central Station yesterday and made an appeal for aid in finding her son, John, whom she has not seen for a year. The son is 20 years old, 6 feet tall, dark complexioned, dark eyes and hair. She says he might go by the name of Bell, as that is the meaning of his name in Hungarian. The mother is eking out a meager living here, and is very anxious to find the boy.

IN CITY WITH A HEART.

General Passers on Broadway Aid Poor Woman Newspaper Vendor. Family Cared for.

Los Angeles has a heart. Mrs. Annie Rosenblum will swear to the truth of this statement because her tears yesterday brought her wealth unthought of.

She, with two of her seven youngsters, was sitting at the corner of Fifth and Broadway selling papers. Her second husband ran away from their home, No. 325 Manchester avenue, about six months ago, and her first had died, leaving her with the big brood on her hands.

That explained the need for some sort of an income to keep the wolf from the door. The sergeant on the beat, seeing the youngsters, thought probably that it would be best for the city to do something in aiding in their support. He stepped up and told Mrs. Rosenblum of the charitable work of the community and gave her a card to the Municipal Charities Commission, telling her to appear at its headquarters at 9 o'clock Friday morning.

Mrs. Rosenblum thought it was a summons to the Police Court; thought she had been arrested, and under the burden of her woeful meditation at the hardness of men's hearts, broke down in a storm of tears. Some people had gathered and heard part of her story to the sergeant. They were sympathetic. Passed the tale along.

Papers began to sell for remarkable figures, men paying a dollar for them and women doing the same to prove themselves not backward. For several hours the stream of humanity along this busy corner realized the want of the paper vendor and poured its gifts into the outstretched palm. Children with their mothers gave up toys and candy until the corner appeared to be a booth in a Christmas bazaar.

Mrs. Rosenblum said that she would have enough to pay the two months' rent in arrears and buy some good warm clothes for the babies as well as have a doctor for her oldest boy, who has been an invalid for a number of years.

RINCON BANKRUPTCY CASE.

The schedules in the Camp Rincon Company involuntary bankruptcy case were filed in the United States District Court Wednesday. The statement furnished by M. H. Dailey, secretary of the corporation, places the debts of the concern at $31,373.54, of which $30,975.14 are unsecured. The assets are given as $54,729.75, and this includes real estate valued at $47,500. The schedule shows that in addition to owing Dailey $288.49 for money advanced and salary as secretary, the company is indebted to him on notes calling for the payment of $12,695.72. R. C. Pollard, president of the company, is also a creditor as endorser on a note for $4000. The unsecured debts are for the most part for provisions of all kinds used in the conduct of the mountain resort.

INVESTIGATE EXTRA FARES.

Complaint is Made Against Twenty-two Carriers Before the State Railroad Commission.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—The State Railroad Commission instituted an investigation today into the question of collecting additional fares from passengers boarding trains at agency stations without tickets, which will embrace every railroad in California.

Twenty-two carriers are summoned in a complaint summoning them to show cause why rules and rates for the collection of such fares should not be established by the commission.

BUSINESS BREVITIES.
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I. Longo, The Tailor, has removed his establishment to 121 West Fifth st., (Rosslyn Hotel,) where he will be pleased to meet his friends, customers, and the public in general. Popular prices to suit the times.

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THE WEATHER.
(Official Report.)

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 3.—[Reported by W. D. Fuller, Observer, temporarily in charge.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 30.05; at 5 p.m., 29.98. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 50 deg. and 58 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 80 per cent.; 5 p.m., 74 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 7 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 64 deg.; lowest, 49 deg. Rainfall for season, 1.28 inches. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—An area of high pressure overlies the greater portion of the United States east of the Rocky Mountains, a minor depression over the Gulf of Mexico being the only disturbance noted in that section. This latter, however, has been sufficient to cause precipitation in light amounts from Central Texas northeastward to the St. Lawrence Valley. From the Mississippi Valley westward to the Rocky Mountains generally fair, cool weather prevails. On the Pacific Slope rain has fallen from the British line to Central California, the largest amount, 1.52 inches, falling at Red Bluff, and snow is reported from the higher elevations of Nevada. This precipitation is the result of the storm noted Wednesday morning on the North Pacific Coast and which is still central in that section, having increased somewhat in energy during the last twenty-four hours. The influence of this disturbance will probably be felt in Los Angeles and vicinity for the following thirty-six hours, during which period the weather will continue cloudy and unsettled, probably with rain.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Unsettled Friday; probably rain; winds mostly easterly.

For California south of the Tehachepi: Unsettled Friday; probably rain.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Probably rain Friday; light south wind.

California south of the Tehachepi: Unsettled Friday; probably rain; light south wind.

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The following marriage licenses were issued ... day. Name and age given.

ADAMSON — PAULSON. William E. Adamson ... Esther A. Paulson, 27.
ALMANZA — RODREGUEZ. Antonio Almanza ... Panfila Rodreguez, 40.
ARNOLD — BENT. Cecil D. Arnold, ... Bent, 18.
BROWN—STEWARD. Eugene M. Brown, ... B. Steward, 18.
FINNEY—McCLOUD. Oscar Finney, ... Cloud, 36.
FORSTER—PAULING. George H. Forster, ... E. Pauling, 24.
GERBAUDI—RAVERA. Joseph Gerbaudi, ... Ravera, 16.
KING — SCHLEMMER. Charles King, ... Schlemmer, 19.
LAWRENCE—SMITH. Richard Lawrence, ... Smith, 31.
MacLEAN—DURFEE. Herbert D. MacLean, ... rie F. Durfee, 22.
McCLUNG—HEISLER. Hugh C. McClung, ... L. Heisler, 25.
McGREW—TRUMAN. James H. McGrew, 67; ... Truman, 56.
MITSUEDA—AKINAGA. Yasuki Mitsueda, ... Akinaga, 15.
PARKS—PORTER. Aubrey R. Parks, ... E. Porter, 18.
SELOVER—MARK. Sidney Selover, 60; ... Mark, 41.
SMYTH—CLERIN. Edward G. Smyth, 23; ... Clerin, 21.
SZAMEITAT — STOBER. Bernard ... Emma Stober, 25.
WILSON—OSTERBERG. John R. Wilson, 21; ... bell Osterberg, 19.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ACEVEDO. Mr. and Mrs. John E. Daughter. ... Malabar street. November 14.
ARVEY. Mr. and Mrs. David. Daughter. ... Hospital. November 21.
CHASE. Mr. and Mrs. William H. Boy. ... Sixty-second street. November 26.
CHILDERS. Mr. and Mrs. Frederick N. ... Pacific Hospital. November 25.
CONYARD. Mr. and Mrs. George B. Boy. ... maritan Hospital. November 30.
DAVEY. Mr. and Mrs. Alfred W. Boy. ... lian street. November 24.
GRIFFITH. Mr. and Mrs. John C. Daughter. ... Esmeralda street. November 30.
HUNTER. Mr. and Mrs. Edmund F. Daughter. ... West Twenty-third street. November ...
JERRMAN. Mr. and Mrs. Herbert. Daughter. ... East Fiftieth street. November 24.
KAUFMAN. Mr. and Mrs. John. Boy. ... ning street. November 28.
KHLIL. Mr. and Mrs. Anton. Boy. 165 ... derson street. November 20.
KUBLY. Mr. and Mrs. Joe. Boy. ... November 29.
MARKS. Mr. and Mrs. Victor. Daughter. ... Manhattan place. November 27.
MORBERG. Mr. and Mrs. Carl O. Boy. ... pital. November 20.
NEVILLE. Mr. and Mrs. Harry H. Boy. ... street. November 22.
REAM. Mr. and Mrs. Charles. Daughter. ... Soto street. November 29.
SABEDRA. Mr. and Mrs. Ramon. Daughter. ... College street. November 30.
SLOTO. Mr. and Mrs. Julius. Daughter. ... Harvard boulevard. November 26.
SPILLHAULZ. Mr. and Mrs. Pinkus. Boy. ... Utah street. November 25.
WICKENS. Mr. and Mrs. Everett L. Boy. ... Los Angeles street. November 23.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

DAVIS. Edward H. against Lupe K.
DUGGER. M. C. against Armilda.
FERRIER. Elizabeth F. against James.
FIELDS. Elza W. against Lulu.
HILL. Mary B. against Edwin.
LYMAN. Leslie E. against Lewis W.
MUNN. Lulu F. against Clark C.
YOUNG. Queenie M. against William H.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

LONZET. Bertha H. from Joe.
PECKHAM. Agda S. from George C.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—

DANNA, Joseph. Los Angeles.
FERGUSON, Mary R. Los Angeles.
GILBERT, Mamie. Los Angeles.
HUTTON, Katherine B. Los Angeles.
KEELER, William B. Los Angeles.
KISER, Lucy A. Los Angeles.
LE BARON, Mary J. Los Angeles.
THALLE, William H. Los Angeles.
WILDBERGER, Edward. Los Angeles.

DEATHS.
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And More.

HE TELLS JUST HOW TO SAVE A MILLION.

Efficiency Director Flabbergasts City's Board of Public Works.

Cites the Hollywood Sewer as an Example of Immense Waste Property Owners Must Suffer Under Private Contracting System, and Gives Figures for Taxpayers to Think About—To go into Details Today.

HOW the city can save $1,120,000 annually by doing its own public improvements, instead of letting private contractors do it, was explained to the Board of Public Works yesterday by Efficiency Director Burks.

As a trite illustration of the waste the property owners are compelled to undergo, Mr. Burks cited the immense Hollywood sewer. The contractor, he said, paid 10 per cent. for three months for money to finance the contract, and an additional 3 per cent. to make collections. This 13 per cent. paid quarterly to finance improvements, or 52 per cent. a year, said Mr. Burks, is always included in the contractors' estimates, and is paid by the property owners who are assessed. He gave figures that may make taxpayers sit up and think.

Here is Director Burks's idea of how the city can save $1,120,000 a year on public improvements:

(1.) Elimination of contractor's profit of 10 per cent.	$ 400,000
(2.) Increase in efficiency through the application of scientific management, a minimum of 5 per cent.	180,000
(3.) Reduction in cost of financing during construction period and cost of collecting assessments (2½ per cent.)	100,000
(4.) Reduction of 2 per cent. in interest charge on $8,000,000 outstanding bonds by utilizing city's credit	160,000
(5.) Reduction in cost of 300,000 barrels of cement by operation of Monolith plant, supplying cement at maximum cost of $1.40, as against present cost of $2 per barrel	180,000
(6.) Elimination of cost due to lack of proper provision in placing of sewers, water and gas pipes, and other substructures before paving is completed	100,000
Total reduction	$1,120,000

Mr. Burks did not have time to go into detail regarding the report he left with the board, as he had another engagement, but agreed to be on hand this morning to complete his catechism and to supplement his formal statement with other facts and figures.

Instead of being routed by the Board of Public Works, as it was commonly reported about the City Hall that the efficiency expert would be, he emerged from the brief session with colors flying, leaving three members of the board flabbergasted by some of the propositions he propounded.

Particularly was the board astonished at his statement that the city is empowered to do improvement work. Mr. Burks showed that San Francisco is doing it at a great saving and the city's right to do so has been upheld by the Supreme Court.

The formal statement will have been digested by President Handley and Commissioners Osborne and O'Brien this morning, when a further interesting session is expected.

EVENT AT THE HALL.

The appearance of Director Burks before the Board of Public Works which he characterizes as "amateurish" was somewhat of an event at the City Hall. The heads of many departments were curious to know how he could square his plans with the laws. He said:

"During the past five and one-half years, the cost of street improvements, including grading, paving, curbs, sidewalks, sewers, and storm drains, has been approximately $14,000,000. Data for the years previous to 1908, are not available. The cost of such improvements for the year ended June 30, 1914, was $4,000,000. The estimated total improvement bonds now outstanding, is $8,000,000. The exact total is not available in any city office, but is variously estimated at from $6,000,000 to $10,000,000. On these bonds property owners are paying 7 per cent. interest, totaling $560,000 per annum.

"Practically all of this improvement work has been done under contract; it has been financed during the construction period by the contractors themselves; and the cost has been met through special assessments levied upon the property presumed to be benefited. If this street improvement work were financed on the credit of the city and carried on by a well devised and properly directed municipal or-

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SWEET SPIRIT OF CHRISTMAS.

THREE THOUSAND ATTEND THE BRILLIANT SHRINE BALL FOR CHARITY.

There was sweet Christmas spirit in the dancing last night at Al Malaikah Temple's eighth holiday charity ball in Shrine Auditorium. Three thousand men and women who contributed to the fund to spread good cheer where most needed received more than their money's worth at the brilliant function. The city's wealthy and socially prominent were there. For seven years Al Malaikah Temple has spread happiness at Christmas among the poor of the city, with special attention to little children. This good work has received hearty approval and support of the public.

The dancing, which began at 9 o'clock, was preceded by several events of interest. The Al Malaikah band gave a concert, beginning at 8. The classical and popular selections rendered by these trained musicians were received with much appreciation by the great crowd.

The popularity of the Shrine Arab Patrol was strongly evident again. The stalwart members of this famous aggregation appeared in full evening dress—top hats, white kid gloves and all. This variation from the usual red costume was pleasing to the crowd.

Capt. Frank L. Miller of the patrol handled his men admirably and gave an exhibition drill which required superior mental and physical alertness on the part of all participants.

Another special feature of interest was music by the Scottish Rite Glee Club. Miss Norma Gould and Edwin Volze gave an exhibition in modern dancing, including the maxixe, hesitation and one-step.

As interesting as were these special features the ball, of course, was the great event. There were hundreds, no doubt, who were impatient for the dreamy music to begin. The dancers two-stepped to "It's a Long Way to Tipperary" and waltzed to "Aloha" and other popular airs. And there were refreshments, too.

The Executive Committee in charge of the successful charitable and social affair was composed of Leo V. Youngworth, F. B. Silverwood, Perry W. Weidner, Roger M. Andrews, Robert Wankowski, W. Rhodes Hervey, O. M. Souden and Motley H. Flint.

BEAUTIFUL SIGHT.

Electric Lights and Colored Fires to Make Christmas Tree of the Valley and Hillsides of Rockdale.

The Rockdale Improvement Association has plans under way for what is to be a unique and beautiful Christmas and New Year decoration for the Rockdale Valley.

The hillsides, laying just below the famous Eagle Rock, are entirely covered with grand old oaks and sycamores and this site has been chosen for the setting of thousands of beautiful colored lights, arranged in the shape of a huge Christmas tree. In addition to these lights, colored fires will be kept burning on Eagle Rock and the surrounding hills and hundreds of bungalow homes will be brilliant with dozens of colored Japanese lanterns.

From Christmas to New Year's this splendor of light may be seen for miles and will be a novel sight long to be remembered. The valley has often been called the natural Christmas tree and with the added lights cannot fail to make a decided impression.

Rockdale is reached by the Eagle Rock Park cars going north on Main street, (getting off at the 5-cent fare limit;) it is the gateway of the entire valley and will therefore be a new drawing card for Los Angeles visitors.

Lighter Burden.

TEN YEARS IN WHICH TO PAY.

Easy Way to Handle Broadway Tunnel Assessment.

Apply Before Monday, Put Property Under Bond.

Mesmer Suit will not Affect Any Other Holdings.

Many property owners in the assessment district for the lowering of the floor of the Broadway tunnel and changing the grade of adjacent streets so as to conform to this new grade, are laboring under the impression that the injunction suit brought by Joseph Mesmer to restrain the city from collection of assessments affects the entire property within the district. Such is not the case. This action affects only the property of Mr. Mesmer and all other properties within the district stand in exactly the same situation as heretofore.

Unless the assessments are paid by December 9 they will become delinquent and the usual course will be pursued of charging a penalty. Unless assessment and penalty are paid off within a fixed time the properties delinquent will be advertised and sold for the delinquency.

There is also a misapprehension as to the manner in which these payments may be made, say city officials. Many people believe that the full cash payment is required in all instances. As a matter of fact, if the assessment is for more than $50, the property can go to bond, so that the total assessment may be divided into ten-year payments, provided there is no other assessment running against the property at this time.

Those who do not desire to pay the full assessment in cash at this time may apply for blanks for making application for bonds at room 4, City Hall. They will have to furnish a certificate of title to their properties assessed, showing that there are no other improvement bonds standing against them at this time.

The total amount of the assessment is a little more than $285,000. Only about $50,000 has been paid in to this date. Property owners are urged to meet this obligation promptly, so as to avoid the great rush and tedious waits that are inevitable at the last of the assessment-paying period.

City Attorney Stephens last evening issued the following statement to property owners in the assessment district:

Many inquiries have been received by this office as to whether or not the payment of the assessment on this proceeding is suspended by the injunction granted in the case of Joseph Mesmer against the city of Los Angeles.

In order that the property owners may be fully advised in the matter I desire to announce that the wording in the restraining order mentioned does not go to the benefit of anyone except Mr. Mesmer himself, and that the failure to pay this assessment would mean the publication of property for sale and the addition of a 5 per cent. penalty. It is unfortunate that there seems to be no way open for suspending this payment after the date of delinquency, and there seems to be no method by which a general injunction suspending this assessment can be entered, pending the hearing as to the legality of the law.

BRAND-NEW WAY TO BEAT DEBTS.

"THIRD-PARTY CLAIMS" MOSTLY PERJURED, SAYS CONSTABLE WARRING ON THEM.

Claiming that too many "third-party claims" in attachment proceedings have been false, and therefore come under the head of a perjury, the office of Constable Hayes will endeavor to convict Charles E. Campbell of this criminal offense, he having been arrested yesterday at the instigation of Attorney Harry A. Goldman, acting for the complainant, Jan Koroluk.

Koroluk secured an attachment against a poolroom owned, according to papers in the action, by Mae Vernon. Campbell entered a third-party claim, alleging that he had purchased this same property on September 18, 1914, thereby invalidating Koroluk's attachment.

After considerable investigation Koroluk has unearthed facts which go to disprove this assertion, and he swore to the warrant for the arrest of Campbell on a perjury charge.

"This third-party claim has become a very common procedure in order to avoid loss of property or settlement of claims," said Constable Hayes. "Many persons have come to the conclusion that it is merely a clever piece of business in the avoidance of obligations and that filing affidavit of claim is a small legal technicality which carries little responsibility. Every time this is done it is simple perjury and should be treated as such. In case the evidence in the present case stands, it will be used as a salutary lesson to others who have in the past committed such an injustice or are contemplating it in the future."

Are You Going?

TEN THOUSAND IS THE NUMBER.

Recruiting Army Here to "Invade" San Diego.

Exposition Opening Stirs Loyal Southland.

West will Honor History-making Event.

With the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association leading the assaulting column, a movement was started here yesterday to secure 10,000 men to represent Los Angeles at the opening of the Southland's own exposition at San Diego at 12:01 a.m., January 1.

Both the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association and the Chamber of Commerce, as well as the Realty Board and other organizations, will be represented by their boards of directors at the important event, signalizing the opening of an exposition savoring of the history and progress of the Southland.

But, as circular letters which will be sent out today to the membership of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association by Secretary Zeehandelaar state the case, the demand is for the rank and file of business men to recognize the indomitable enterprise of a sister city, which has created an exposition unique in the annals of this or any other nation.

A salient tribute to San Diego and its exposition, according to Salt Lake officials, will be the passage through here the 30th inst., of two special trains conveying State officials and business men of Idaho, Montana, Utah and Nevada, on their way to the southern city to participate in the opening ceremonies.

MOUNTAIN STATES.

"We will have 1000 persons on these two trains," said General Passenger Agent Peck of the Salt Lake yesterday. "They will be representative men and women of the intermountain States, who recognize the importance to the West of an exposition that is an object lesson in history and progress."

With special low rates in effect for the opening ceremonies, the pressing of the gold button by President Wilson which will open the gates of the Panama-California Exposition to all the world, will, it is believed by the railroad men, be the occasion for the gathering together of such a representation of the West as has never before been seen.

Consequently, Los Angeles' place in such an assembly should be an important one, and the developments yesterday made it clear that it will be. The efforts of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the Chamber of Commerce, the Realty Board and half a hundred other organizations, will be to secure an outpouring of their membership, which will make the Los Angeles delegation numerically

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The popular Arab patrol of Al Malaikah Temple in full dress,

As it appeared last night at the Shriners' eighth annual Christmas charity ball.

FRENCH PRISON FOR ANGELENO.

HE'S TAKEN AS GERMAN SPY AND LOCKED UP, BUT HAS GOOD LUCK.

Now is not the time for young Americans to make a first-hand study of international waterways abroad, according to Paul Ogilvie, son of Mr. and Mrs. James Ogilvie, No. 1933 South Union avenue, who arrived home yesterday from Europe after having been held quite distastefully in a French garrison as a German spy.

Young Ogilvie is a student at Columbia University. The fact that he had in his possession his Columbia certificates as an M.A., and a B.A., helped him extricate himself from a dangerous situation.

He also had a letter in his pocket at the time of his arrest from William Jennings Bryan, and was able to prove that he was a close friend of Dr. Henry Van Dyke, then at The Hague as Minister to the Netherlands.

All of these documents, however, were not worth so much in the hands of the skeptical and excited Frenchmen as the fact that one of the guards had fought in the Boer war, knew a little English, and was able to identify Ogilvie's accent as distinctly American.

Ogilvie left Columbia last summer to pass his vacation on the inland rivers of Europe, having shipped his boat from New York to Rotterdam for that purpose. For a long time he has specialized in international law, and he found Dr. Van Dyke at The Hague willing and able to lend him much assistance in following up his subject.

He went through Belgium and Holland and most of France. He had gone to Europe to make the trip with a boy friend who is at Oxford and who is following the same line of work. They had parted for two days to go separate ways, the day before the declaration of war and the mobilization of the French army.

Ogilvie was on the Rhone in his small motor boat, and when the soldiers signaled him from a bridge he imagined that they were merely calling some encouragement to him. Fifteen minutes later he looked up to find a line of soldiers on either side of the river, their rifles leveled upon him. When he halted three officers came out to him in a boat and took him to shore. They informed him that he was in the midst of a war and that he was a German spy. He answered in good French that he was an American, but they insisted a spy naturally would be anything but a German if you asked him about it.

That was Saturday afternoon and he spent an uncomfortable Sunday in jail. On Monday they consented to drive him by motor to the nearest American Vice-Consul, who was at Bijon, fifty miles away. At that point he was able to convince them that he was no mystery and they allowed him to proceed to Paris. He afterward spent several weeks in Europe, and by means of adequate passports managed to escape further unpleasant experiences.

Unanimous.

REALTY BOARD INDORSES ALL THE AMENDMENTS.

THE Governing Committee of the Los Angeles Realty Board yesterday unanimously adopted a resolution favoring all the ten charter amendments to be voted upon by the people the 31st inst.

The resolution was read at a luncheon of the Realty Board at the Alexandria, after a brisk debate between city officials. The sentiment of the committee was loudly applauded by the large number of business men present, but no formal action will be taken by the board itself until next Thursday, when the committee resolution will be brought up for adoption or rejection.

The resolution sets out that the Governing Committee having made a thorough investigation of all the amendments, it recommends that the board indorse them and do all in its power to bring about their adoption.

President Mines called Herbert J. Goudge to the chair to preside during the debate, which was opened by Efficiency Director Burks.

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Piffling Regulation Hogties the Railroads.

Grins When Asked Opinion of Valuation Work.

President Ripley of the Santa Fe sees a silver-lined cloud, about the size of a man's hand, arising off to the eastward, which promises guerdons of gain to the railroads. It is in the shape of winter travel to California, which Mr. Ripley believes, due to the closing of Europe to tourists, will this year set new and unanticipated records.

"I am no prophet," said the head of the Santa Fe yesterday, on his arrival here en route to his winter home in Santa Barbara, "but I firmly believe, and I am confident that results will bear me out in the assertion, that there will be more persons come to California this year than ever before in history. I would even wager that travel will even exceed the expectations of the most optimistic."

On the other hand, Mr. Ripley sees very few rifts in the clouds for the railroads. Though he would not place his sanction on a prediction of ultimate government ownership of railroads, his forecast is of breakers ahead.

"The present administration," he said, "seems to be contented, and perhaps justly so, with a condition of affairs where it regulates the railroads and asumes none of the responsibility. It is a condition of affairs that pleases the theoretical and the Utopians among us, but it stifles initiative in railroad affairs. It means no railroad building and no investment of the pioneering kind.

"And," the sage of the traffic world continued, "it means that the acceleration of development in commercial lines which will follow the present hard times, as surely as air rushes into a shattered vacuum, will find the railroads hidebound, unprepared to adjust themselves to changed conditions. In other words, they will be forced to narrow-gauge lines, forcibly adjusted to them, in other words, while the business world is careering ahead on broad-gauge lines. The result will be certain—a temporary stifling of development, and, of all things in this world, this country doesn't want this."

PLAIN WASTE.

Asked his opinion on the desirability, or ultimate functions, of the present railroad-valuation work which is being pursued by the Interstate Commerce Commission, pursuant to the Congressional bill of the discredited LaFollette, Mr. Ripley smiled a very broad smile, verging onto a grin.

"A plain waste of the public's money, an unprecedented waste," he said. "When they get through they will only have figures; nothing substantial on which to base action regarding railroad bond issues or the making of freight rates. Why, most of the valuation figures will be obsolete by the time they get through, and the others will be of no value.

"But there will be one result," Mr. Ripley continued, with a sudden revival of interest, "this valuation will show that the railroads of this country are under-bonded, rather than overbonded. Of course, there are some railroads that have been watered financially, but they are the exception rather than the rule."

To point the moral of his assertion that the Railroad Valuation Board's conclusions will be of little value, Mr. Ripley pointed out that land values when the Santa Fe built its line through the San Joaquin Valley were double what they were when the Southern Pacific valley line was built.

"Shall rates be based on the Santa Fe or the Southern Pacific's original mileage cost?" he asked, pertinently, "or will we have to strike a balance, or, do the next best thing, figure abstractly on the value of the railroad's service to shippers, an always negligible and mostly fluctuating quantity?"

IMPROVEMENTS HERE.

Regarding future improvements here, Mr. Ripley stated that ultimately the Santa Fe will either build a new station or add to the old one.

"But for the present nothing along this line is contemplated," he asserted.

Speaking of the European war, Mr. Ripley stated that our trade in staple foodstuffs will and has been increased thereby. He also voiced the forecast that cotton, while now a drug on the market, will shortly go to record prices as a result of economic conditions which make it patent that the cessation of the demand is only preparatory to a rebound in the demand upward.

"The Middle West," he said, "the grain States, are overflowing with prosperity. This is because they are the source of supply for those things which the battling countries need. While, personally, I believe that this vast economic waste going on over the waters will lower the buying level of the entire world ultimately, for the present, and perhaps for some years, the staple products' States will revel in prosperity—and their inhabitants come to California to play."

Mr. Ripley, who was accompanied by Mrs. Ripley, arrived here yesterday morning from Chicago, after a short stop at the Grand Canyon, and left at 6:10 o'clock last evening for Santa Barbara. Capt. A. H. Payson, president of the Northwestern Pacific, which is jointly owned by the Santa Fe and Southern Pacific, was in conference with him for some hours yesterday afternoon.

WARRANT WITHOUT CAUSE.

The complaints charging William E. Shaw and James Mansfield, collectors, with embezzling $96 from Rudolph Schering, a client, was yesterday dismissed by Justice Young because of the utter lack of evidence. Justice Young declared that the complaints never should have been issued as there was not a scintilla of evidence pointing to their guilt. Deputy District Attorney Hogan said he would not oppose the dismissal of the complaints. Mr. Schering, the prosecuting witness, did not even appear in court. Mr. Shaw is the complaining witness against Attorney C. V. Riccardi, who is accused of embezzling $2000 from Mr. Shaw. Mr. Shaw declared yesterday that the charge was trumped-up by certain persons who are anxious to discredit him.

How to Save a Million.

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ganization, the above decreases in actual cost to the property owners affected would result."

President Handley asked Mr. Burks if he understands the city has the power to do its own public improvements.

"There is no doubt that the city has authority," said Mr. Burks.

He called attention to the fact that the city does other work not by contract.

"But let me say this in passing, to the newspaper men," he added. "It would not be desirable to take over the work at once. It would be practically impossible. It would be injustice to private enterprises to take steps which might be confiscatory."

He cited the fact that William Mulholland stated that if the aqueduct had been built by a private enterprise it would have cost the people $15,000,000 more than the $26,000,000 that was expended on this wonderful work.

ON THE SAME BASIS.

Capt. Osborne asked the expert if his other estimates of saving were based upon statements as far as that regarding the 52 per cent. per annum.

"Absolutely," replied Mr. Burks.

In his formal statement to the board he continues:

In formulating these estimates we have had the co-operation of the City Engineer's office; of several of the large contracting concerns engaged in street improvement work, and numerous other engineers and experts, to whom we hereby extend our acknowledgments.

Allowance is made in the estimates for interest on the necessary outlays to be made by the city; depreciation of machinery and tools; overhead administrative charges, and cost of financing.

No account has been taken of the saving in time and convenience of property owners, which will be effected by centralizing, in a city office, the notification of property owners and collection of interest and principal of deferred payments, the hearing and disposition of complaints, and the economics in the cost of materials other than cement, such as crushed rock, asphalt, etc.

The estimated saving to be effected through municipal as opposed to private construction is thoroughly supported by the experience of the aqueduct organization in the construction of the aqueduct, and of the harbor department in the harbor construction work. Mr. Mulholland estimates that the cost of aqueduct construction under contract procedure would have been not less than $15,000,000, in excess of the actual cost of this project, ($24,600,000.)

The president of the Harbor Commission estimates that the recent construction work done directly under his supervision has been 15 per cent. less than similar work performed under contract.

The remarkable record in the aqueduct construction, under the direction of a single competent engineer with adequate authority to proceed under modern business conditions, should be a sufficient answer to any claim that the city cannot build up an organization competent to carry on its own street improvement work.

One of the most severe and unwarranted commentaries on the efficiency of city government is the assumption that, in order to insure economical and efficient management of large construction projects, the city must perforce go outside of its own organization and employ the services of private construction companies. It is not to be assumed, of course, that the department of public works could or should take over at once, or within a brief period, entire responsibility for street improvement work. It will be necessary to build up somewhat gradually a proper organization; to acquire the necessary equipment, and to develop administrative methods essential to the successful prosecution of public work of the magnitude of that under consideration.

Furthermore, the private enterprises now performing this service for the city must, in all fairness, be considered in the development of the city's plan. Several of these companies have large investment and elaborate organizations which they have built up in response to a genuine public need. For many years they have rendered a service to the community of incalculable value which the city government has not been equipped to perform. No step, therefore, should be taken which might properly be stigmatized as unfair or confiscatory.

For many years, even under a systematic plan for municipalizing street construction work, there will be need for the service of the best-equipped private enterprise. In the interest of public service street construction work should be done by the city, for several years, at least, in competition with the best-equipped private enterprises. The inevitable result of such procedure will be to stimulate both the public and private organizations to the highest standards of efficiency.

To make possible the business-like and successful accomplishment of the plan suggested, the following changes in organization and administrative procedure are absolutely essential:

ORGANIZATION AND EQUIPMENT.

(1.) A thoroughly qualified director of public works must replace the present amateur commission of three members, who are usually without experience in the management of large construction projects.

(2.) A staff of competent assistants in special divisions must be permanently employed and intelligently directed to carry on the work of administration and supervision.

(3.) A corps of carefully selected, skilled workmen to be built up, kept together, and constantly trained in the most efficient methods of performing each part of the labor. This will necessitate functional foremen, whose duty it will be to train workmen and help them in each job to get started right, to avoid lost motion, and to eliminate trouble or delay.

(4.) A planning division should work out, in advance of the beginning of work, not only general plans and specifications, but detail instructions to individual foremen and workmen as to how each specific step in the work is to be performed.

(5.) Modern tools and equipment of the highest standard, which will enable the city's organization to compete on equal terms with the best private enterprises.

(6.) A properly qualified and properly paid permanent corps of inspectors up to the standard of the best inspectors in the present poorly organized, irregularly employed and inadequately compensated corps. The present method places a penalty upon the efficient inspector by stopping his pay when he discovers unsatisfactory work or material and orders work stopped. A premium rather than a penalty should be placed upon rigid inspection.

(7.) Place in commission the Monolith cement plant, in which the city has an investment of $800,000, and utilize its entire output (300,000 barrels a year) in street improvement work at a maximum cost of $1.40 per barrel in place of $2 per barrel, which is the present standard price.

ADMINISTRATIVE METHODS.

(1.) Standardize all specifications, instructions, and all administrative methods so that each step in every process shall be clearly defined and readily understood.

(2.) Maintain accurate cost data as a basis for intelligent judgment in the choice of the best specifications and standards for each class of work to be done. Such data are not now available.

(3.) Maintain an experimental highway with adjoining sections paved under different specifications, so that, under identical traffic conditions, exact data on up-keep and life of the pavement may be obtained.

(4.) Provide for current summary reports on work in progress as the basis for comparison and intelligent supervision. Such reports are not now available.

(5.) Change the method of securing samples of materials for the testing laboratory so that the materials actually used on work shall be the material tested. At present, in some instances, the material tested is not the material going into the work.

(6.) Formulate, on the initiative of the department itself, a comprehensive plan for highway development and assume responsibility for having such a programme put into effect. No such plan is now available.

AS TO AUTHORITY.

The city has adequate authority, under the present charter, for carrying out most, if not all, of these proposals. The charter authorizes the city (section 29) "to incur indebtedness by the issuance of bonds for any of the purposes for which the city is authorized to provide;" (section 18) "to levy and collect taxes upon real and personal property for municipal purposes;" (section 19) "to levy and collect assessments upon property according to frontage or according to benefits;" (section 13) "to establish, lay out, open . . . or otherwise improve streets;" (section 15) "to provide, by purchase, lease . . . or otherwise, and to establish . . . and operate sewers, drains, sewage farms," etc.; (section 26) "to exercise all municipal powers necessary to the complete and efficient management and control of the municipal property, and for the efficient administration of the municipal government, whether such powers be expressly enumerated herein or not."

Under these powers the city may establish the necessary revolving fund to the extent of ten million or twenty million dollars, if necessary, to finance its public improvements on the credit of the city. To facilitate this result, however, one of the proposed amendments to the charter provides for the issuance of investment bonds.

To summarize briefly, the suggestions herein submitted contemplate the application to public improvement work of the principles and practice of modern business management. The results of such application, wherever made, have been to reduce enormously the cost and increase the efficiency of service. A careful study of the crude problem of handling pig iron at the Bethlehem Steel Works increased the amount handled by a single man from sixteen to fifty-seven tons without increasing the effort of the individual. Wages were increased 60 per cent.; at the same time the cost was reduced.

At the Midvale Steel Works the amount of lathe work performed by a single operator was doubled with no additional strain on the operator and wages increased from $2.50 to $3.50 per day.

A careful investigation of methods of laying brick increased the number laid from 112 to 320 per hour; decreased the strain on the workman; and increased wages from $4.50 to $6.25 per day.

Similar methods decreased the cost of cleaning the City Hall in Philadelphia from $115,000 to $85,000 a year. In New York, water revenues were increased $2,000,000 in a single year, with decreased cost of collection. It has been conclusively shown that the cost of collecting water revenues in Los Angeles, by the application of modern methods, may be decreased $60,000 per annum.

The application of modern business methods to street improvement cannot be accomplished in a day or a year. It must be brought about, if at all, by patient, long-continued, consistent, scientific work. That it can be done, however, admits of no doubt; it is supported by the cumulative experience of all enterprises, public as well as private, where intelligent, consistent effort has been made to produce the results.

CUMNOCK DINNER.

A dinner party was given Thursday evening at the Cumnock dormitory. The hostesses were Miss Jessie Jean Higley and Miss Elizabeth Janss. The guests included the faculty, the girls of the dormitory and Misses Olive Powers and Ina King. The color scheme was pale lavender.

Ten Thousand Visitors.

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superior to that of not only any city, but of any State.

HONOR TWO OCCASIONS.

With a membership of nearly 1000 men, representative men in all walks of life, the contribution of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association to the "felicitation line" should be of the first importance. Though the Chamber of Commerce's Excursion Committee is now working on plans for a special train to carry members to San Diego for "Los Angeles day," January 9, officials expressed the belief yesterday that the preponderant share of the membership will see fit to saliently honor the builders of the Southland's show by their presence on the opening day.

From the San Joaquin and Imperial valleys, the Southern Pacific reports a large interest in the special low rates which will be offered for the opening of the San Diego show. In fact, Vice-President McCormick of that road stated yesterday that the indications are that, unlike other expositions, there will be no high tide in the attendance at the San Diego exposition, but a steady inflow of appreciative visitors.

SHORTER TERMS COMING.

As Owner of House They Blew Up Was Out at Time, Case is Reversed. New Charge.

Because G. D. Trapini and his family were not in their home on the night of June 15, 1913, when the home was blown up by Joe Princeipi and Vito Parisi, the Court of Appeals reversed the decision of the lower court in which the men were found guilty of first degree arson and yesterday they pleaded guilty to second degree arson before Judge Willis.

They had previously been sentenced to twenty-five and twenty years, respectively, in the penitentiary. Today they will be again sentenced to shorter terms.

According to the testimony at their trial the men blew up the house of Trapini. At that time Mr. Trapini alleged that he was the victim of Black Hand men. Later he testified that he had employed the two men to guard his house and the explosion was an accident. The jury disbelieved the testimony and found the men guilty.

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SHOWING WHAT WAR REALLY IS.

Official Battle Pictures at Trinity Auditorium.

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Great Film's Proceeds will Aid the Belgians.

Already intimate scenes of the great war were upon the screen when the Old Man in the Next Seat arrived. Trinity Auditorium was filled last night with an eager audience of people who had awaited the coming of the first official war pictures, that showed through the camera's cold eye the untinted horror, and variety and splendor of the combat of nations. Reluctant to have its ragged woes recorded forever in pictures, Belgium officialy refused to permit films of the fighting until the present ones were approved because one-half of the net proceeds of their display will be returned to Belgium to relieve the suffering and distress.

As the bundled Old Man, guided by a young woman in plain dress, dropped into his seat, an artillery scene, so plain that one could almost sit upon the seats of the gun carriage was being shown. The tired horses stood there for a moment, and in the foremost team one horse nibbling at the other's breast, while the other showed gratitude by mouthing his neighbor's back. Ten minutes from the battlefield, and they stood so, and the Old Man's hand crept out as if it would fondle them.

Termonde was being shown, one of the stricken cities that the war had blasted until none could recognize the shadows of a former city in the unseen wreckage. Some thick, stoop-shouldered buildings still stood with great holes in the walls, ragged like old wounds of the flesh that would not heal. And by them came cluttering the fleeing Belgians, the heavy, sweaty horses trotting briskly in alarm, and many a seat on the gun carriages was empty.

SEE REAL FIGHTING.

In the fighting at Alost the operations of the heavy shrapnel cannon is shown. The deadly artillery nuzzles aside some concealing branches and points afar over the fields to the invisible forces of the enemy. Two officers hold aloft their hands, it is a signal for the gun crew to place their hands over their ears lest the drums burst, and a white puff comes from the gun lips.

The shock of the explosion is so great that the gun shrugs back ten feet almost, it seems, and then returns to duty, as a small boy's shoulder at the heel of a heavy gun. Off to one side where the infantry is at work, the Red Cross ambulances, like bread wagons, or possibly moving vans of an American city, stand ready for the injured. These ambulances hold three tiers of passangers, and open on three sides. The hurried doctors, and the running little priests and the ever-present nurses are all about. Into the camera's full eye a man woefully injured, is treated, and his face is the face of Belgium itself, and the Old Man in the Next Steat takes a deep breath.

"Now Grandpa," says the girl, "don't take it hard."

Floating into view come Aerschot and later Malines. There is a road, once neatly and comfortably cobbled, but the cobbles have been torn up and scattered in treacherous heaps meant to wound the foot of the Germans that are coming. Across the highway is stretched a mass of tanglewire, all barbed, and it is charged with electricity. Close beside it an old gray cow munches in preparation for the milking that may not arrive.

The dog teams, dragging the machine guns on the two-wheelers, trot into action. A whistle, and they drop—two whistles from the master and they stand. The machine gun is lifted by two Belgions from its carriage and propped in a trench, and the firing is on again almost instantly. Further along the soldiers slowly, as if they were digging a well, make their trenches in a beet field. One stops now and then to prepare a beet for a hurried lunch, and behind an officer, quartering an apple, leisurely directs the operations. The dogs snooze in the grass.

From a distance are shown the Belgians ready for a charge. The infantry rises suddenly from behind the trench, a wave of the arm, and they are over the field. Behind them, lonesomely and exposed, remain two buildings. Before the camera's gaze, there comes a flight too quick for a sigh, a mighty rush of dirt and bricks. A shrapnel shell has struck the lesser of the buildings. The Old Man in the Next Seat swears in his native language. The girl reproves him. "You promised not to get excited," she reminds him.

FLOODING THE COUNTRY.

In the third reel the hopeless sacrifice of the war is shown in the flooding of the perfectly-kept fields. The dykes have been tapped, and the countryside flooded to stop the Germans. A valley that was once a granary is shown a pond.

At last the fall of Antwerp, a city with wonderful cathedrals and historic architecture. The daring photographer, aloft in one of the towers of the cathedral, has taken the city as it yields to the great artillery of the Huns. Fires start in all quarters. There comes a blast of smoke, much like burning oil fields, for the electric wire poles of Belgium are not unlike oil derricks.

The pontoon bridge over the River Scheldt, the only avenue out of the city, is shown at its union with the city's streets. To it surges all of Antwerp that can flee, and even an armored automobile with a machine gun resting atop drives up and then back into the riven city.

And then comes the portals of Holland to which all are fleeing. The quaint vehicular resources of the Belgian nation are shown in catalogic detail, push carts burdened with a family of women and all the household stores; dog carts, carts with two wheels, carrying a half score of people and hills of baggage, with one lean horse beneath the shafts, and finally big vans.

Two sturdy young men with great wooden shoes tote the salvage of their home in a white sheet supported from a pole between them. It is Belgium's most horrible moment, and every face is a sculpture of Belgium's woe. Women too shocked to weep, little ones who are really weeping, and men, stolid, dejected men, hurry in endless procession into the arms of Holland. And in the passing, almost as the picture closes, there comes a small woman, dragging along with the aid of one crutch. The Old Man in the Next Seat leaned forward. He seized the seat ahead with both hands.

"Suzanne," he whispered, heavily, through his teeth, and then louder "petite Suzanne."

She limped on into the shadow and others took her place. The Old Man sat back in his seat, with his hands over his eyes.

The picture was over. The girl in the plain dress was saying: "Grandpa, you promised not to take on; now, you promised."

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SEAL MYSTERY IN TWO GRAVES.

HEAD OF AN UNKNOWN MAN IS BURIED AFTER YEAR.

Identity of Body Found Hanging from Rafter Under Dragon's Gorge at Ocean Park Lost Forever, as Last Evidence is Interred Separately from It.

The identity of the unknown man found dead hanging from a rafter April 4, 1913, under the Dragon's Gorge at Ocean Park, and later buried by Mrs. Minta I. Jordan as her husband, upon whose alleged dead body she collected $5000 on insurance policies, will never be known or the mystery cleared.

Yesterday the head of the dead man, which had been preserved by Santa Monica undertakers since the discovery of the body, was buried at Woodlawn Cemetery, Ocean Park, on instructions from Deputy District Attorney Hammon. The head was in an excellent state of preservation. The undertakers were unable to locate the grave containing the other parts of the body and the head was interred by itself. It was preserved in the hopes that relatives or friends of the dead man might identify it, thus clearing up a weird mystery.

The body was found hanging in a dark spot under the famous Dragon's Gorge, which was destroyed in the Ocean Park fire. Mrs. Minta I. Jordan positively identified the body as that of her husband. All marks of identification had been removed from the body.

A few months later her husband mailed his insurance premium to a fraternal order of which he was a member and he was notified at once that his death benefit had been paid.

The body, which had been buried as that of Jordan, was then exhumed and the head removed. It was shown to be quite unlike the head and features of Jordan and Mrs. Jordan was arrested and held to answer in the Superior Court on a charge of having fraudulently collected the insurance policies issued in favor of her husband.

The case against her was finally dismissed by Deputy Hammon on the grounds that the evidence was very slight and that he did not feel justified in causing her the expense and anxiety of undergoing a trial. The money was later returned to the insurance companies.

NO COMMISSION.

The second trial of the suit of Mrs. Emma F. Exline against J. H. and Joe E. Henry, to recover $40,000 commission for finding a purchaser for the Atascadero ranch in San Luis Obispo county resulted in Judge Wilbur's court yesterday in judgment for the defendant.

Mrs. Exline won full judgment when the case was tried before a jury in Judge Houser's court some time ago. A new trial was granted on the ground that the judgment did not agree with the evidence. Mrs. Exline testified that under a contract with the defendants she found a purchaser for the 22,000 acres in E. G. Lewis, and was entitled to 5 per cent. on the purchase price of $800,000. The defendants alleged that they owed her nothing.

The jury returned judgment for the defendants, on the ground that the sale had been made by J. F. Sullivan to Mr. Lewis. The latter, now the owner of the ranch, was the founder of University City at St. Louis.

Indorse All Amendments

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that has been injected into this campaign," Mr. Burks said. "What I have said of the business of the city government is impersonal and directed in no way toward any of the officers connected with the city government. It is no place for personalities and I have not and will not indulge in them."

Mr. Burks showed the realty men the difference between the present complex situation in which there is no direct line of responsibility as compared with the manager plan in which the policy determining function is centered and fixed. He also indorsed the amendment providing for proportional representation, saying that a much better Council could be chosen by groups than by the present method.

"This is a sweeping amendment," said President Whiffen of the Council in reply. "It would revolutionize the whole city government from stem to stern. I believe that under our present system there are some extravagances, but that is due to the city being hampered by civil service. I favor the removal of civil service from the departments that spend the most money, because if it were removed it would reduce the cost of work to the people from 20 to 25 per cent.

"The manager idea is deficient in that it deprives the people of a safeguard in the Mayor's veto."

"I am not defending the present system," said President Handley of the Board of Public Works. "Before our Efficiency Commission was thought of I gave it a kick. But I won't support this plan. We won't have a real manager. I don't believe Mr. Burks knows what it is to serve 'at the pleasure of the City Council.' Do you mean to tell me that the manager, appointed by the Council, can escape political influence? It is well enough to talk about this high idealism. Four years ago I felt the same way, but I know better now. I know where the lines are drawn and where the pressure comes in. There is no such thing and can be no such thing as a city manager. The managerial form of government belongs to the autocratic system—and that is not ours. He has to be a political boss.

"I want a new charter, creating a well-ordered business organization which is found in the commission form of government."

Councilman Conwell closed the four-cornered debate by advocating the passage of all the amendments and explaining them. He said that the manager form of government reflects the sentiments of President Wilson, who said that the evil in our city government is lack of direct responsibility. The present system is a "twan't me" form for which the manager idea offered a "'tis you" plan. It fixes the responsibility and puts an end to passing the buck, he added.

Last night Mr. Burks spoke at the Municipal League meeting at the Hotel Clark, where he replied to President Handley's address at the Realty Board luncheon.

"The proposed amendment would give us a business-like administration," he said. "Every one of the opponents of the plan admits that the present conditions are intolerable. What does a business man do when he finds an intolerable situation in his enterprise? Does he do nothing because he doesn't happen to like the only available plan that is offered to him

"I think President Handley will some day agree with me that the delegation of authority in administrative business matters to one man, with a group of experts in his business cabinet, is far more effective a way of managing a big business than the present system, which he acknowledges he does not like.

"Would Mr. Handley agree to the election of trustees of a college and then designating which of the trustees shall teach Greek, which Latin, which Sanskrit and so on? Or, would he allow his trustees to select men who are qualified to teach those things."

The silver cup won by the oratory of Roger M. Andrews for the Realty Board, at the Oakland convention, was displayed at the luncheon at the Alexandria and Mr. Andrews made a happy acknowledgment of the honor of being presented with it. It must be won thrice in succession to become the permanent property of the Los Angeles board.

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Railroad Traffic Chief Tells of Increase of Business, how Jobbers are Buying Larger Stock Lots and of Indications of a Tremendous Tourist Traffic.

"Carload business is on the increase," said Vice-President McCormick of the Southern Pacific yesterday. "This is a barometric sign that indicates returning prosperity. It means that the business world is recovering its resilient tone and is looking to the future with confidence."

Speaking more particularly of the future, Mr. McCormick stated that he anticipates not only the biggest winter tourist business in history this year, but an exposition travel next year that will confound even the most optimistic among the prophesiers.

"Los Angeles will be the focal point for this travel," he said. "Every ticket will read in one direction via Los Angeles and those who don't take advantage of the stop-over privilege will be few in number. These expositions will mean as much to this city as to either one of the exposition cities."

Regarding railroad business in general, the traffic head of the Southern Pacific stated that there has been a most perceptible increase in the volume of freight handling lately.

"It is not only in carload handling, but in all lines of traffic," he said. "I find a general return of confidence and with it a disposition to order in bulk and not in job lots. It means that the buying powers of this country are asserting themselves and that the merchants see buyers for increased offerings.

"A few months ago," Mr. McCormick continued, "there was a general disposition to look pessimistically to the future. Now the American people are not pessimists, constitutionally, but when an array of conditions force the conclusion that there are hard-time breakers ahead, they can be as cautious as any people. But with large crops and ready markets for foodstuffs, the spirit of confidence has begun to leaven the whole, outward from the soil, as it were.

"As for the immediate future of the Southland, the best way I can put it is to say that there are a certain number of persons in this country who must go some place for the winter. They can't go to Europe, or they won't, if they are wise, and this leaves California or Florida as alternatives. With two expositions to open soon and the advertising they have given the State, a large percentage of the persons who must go some place are coming here. And I want to say that many of them have never been here, strange as it may seem, for they are the persons who in the past have found no good outside of the pleasant—I'll admit it—winter resorts of the Riviera."

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TREND OF THE FINANCIAL NEWS.

CHIEF EVENTS OF YESTERDAY.

(At Home:) A general broadening of investments with a corresponding widening of the speculative field has led to an optimistic feeling in financial circles. Many of the active shares of industrial corporations are being sold at advances ranging from 2 to 6 points. The new Swedish loan of $5,000,000 was taken quickly by one banking house, which reflects the enormous reserves now on hand for legitimate business channels. According to a comprehensive study of the effects upon American business by the European war, 600 correspondents, representing all parts of the country, have united in declaring that conditions are steadily improving, and they predict much greater prosperity within the next few months.

(For details see financial page.)

CAUGHT WITH THE GOODS. The English have captured Gen. De Wet again. We suppose he will now write another book on the advantages of loyalty. He may even be persuaded to become loyal himself.

A DANGEROUS CONFESSION. It is too bad to admit the fact that fewer people are reading books today because they have other things to do. The admission might precipitate such a lot of new books by Gerald Stanley Lee and Bliss Carmen on "The Lost Art of Reading."

SWEET VERACITY. One observes with interest that the Women's Ad. Club intends to specialize in veracity. The public faith in advertising must be built on a solid basis. They must be able to say that they saw it in an advertisement so of course it must be true. It is appropriate that such an original ideal should have been born in the City of the Angels. Let us pray.

FORETHOUGHT. The Adjutant-General of California's National Guard evidently believes to be forewarned is to be fpremounted. He strongly advises against selling the warring nations of Europe all of our horses. The truth is, the United States could afford to tighten up all along the line. This country could find itself in a position where it would need for itself a great deal that it had either sold or given away.

THE WRONG METHOD. After seeing a photograph of the pretty girl of Eau Claire who was reprimanded by a man teacher for wearing her dark curls over her shoulders we do not in the least condemn her fellow-students for raising an uproar. It was a fit subject for rebellion. Of course we cannot approve of a strike, not even for so lovely a cause, but we would not have minded reading that one of the older boy pupils had quietly thrashed the teacher. This would appeal to us as peace with honor.

A MARKETING COMMISSION. The proposition is interesting, but one calling for much consideration as to detail. No State so feels the necessity for economy in getting produce delivered to the trade as California with its interests extending in so many directions and the necessity of going to the Far East in many cases if it is to sell all of its splendid harvest at the best prices. Such a commission might have the effect of securing the best shipping facilities at the most reasonable rates, but it could not interfere with the different market conditions of the various cities nor with the natural methods of competition.

LUCRE PARAMOUNT. The King has been pleased to elevate the governor of the Bank of England to the peerage and henceforth plain Mr. Walter Cunliffe becomes an earl. This "in recognition of his great services in an acute national crisis."

Chancellor Lloyd George of Great Britain, in one of his earliest speeches when the war broke out, declared that it was the last million pounds that would win the war. That title therefore is a diplomatic method for keeping on the right side of that last million. And yet some people still think the Englishman is a dull beggar minus a sense of humor!

PARLIAMENT AT THE WAR. Some little points of order keep cropping up in the British House of Commons and divisions have had to go by the way. For no less than ninety-eight members of the opposition and thirty members of the government party are away fighting for their country. The question has arisen whether a soldier M.P. can be "paired."

When, too, owing to the exigencies of war, a seat now becomes vacant, there is a delicacy of feeling about contesting the constituency. Good sportsmen feel that the status quo in Parliament should be honorably maintained. The reason that so many of the opposition find themselves in military service is because the military are largely Conservatives; it will be remembered that British officers recently resigned their commissions rather than be forced to take arms against rebel Ulster. Needless to say, they have all been fully reinstated.

In the meantime it is no unusual thing for a member of Parliament to take his seat in the House in full khaki service kit—the first time in the history of the Commons.

A "TIMES" ANNIVERSARY. The Times celebrates today its thirty-fourth birthday, and its proprietors and the members of its staff are justly proud of every year of its useful and honorable career of service. It has earned and received the confidence and support of the community in which it is published. It is the largest newspaper in the United States, with the largest advertising patronage, and its paid circulation exceeds that of any other newspaper in the great city of Los Angeles.

The Times first saw the light on December 4, 1881, as a little folio sheet. In 1882 it was twice enlarged. Every year there were further enlargements. In 1887 it was a standard seven-column quarto. In 1888 it was again enlarged and the pages of the Sunday issue were increased to sixteen.

Year after year pages have been added until now there are from twenty to thirty-four pages in the daily and from 120 to 154 for the Sunday issue, including the Sunday magazine.

In 1882 Gen. Harrison Gray Otis acquired a large interest in the Times-Mirror Company and assumed editorial control of The Times. For thirty-two years—with the exception of a brief period when he accepted a brigadier-general's commission and led his troops to victory in the Philippines—he has been at the helm and steered his vessel through both tranquil and stormy seas.

The motto of The Times has ever been "Stand fast, stand firm, stand sure, stand true." It has advocated the elementary principles of the party of Abraham Lincoln, but it has never hesitated to criticise Republicans who sought to use the Grand Old Party for purposes detrimental to the public interest. It favored a national irrigation policy when the East and Middle West antagonized it. It demanded that our harbor should not be subjected to railroad control. It contended for a gold currency when many trusted Republican leaders on this Coast were bitten by the free silver coinage folly and clamored for a fifty-cent dollar, and it never faltered in its devotion to and advocacy of the principle announced and formulated by the immortal Henry Clay of protection to home industry.

The Times began in 1890 the fight for industrial freedom which it has ever since continued. In that year the union compositors and foreman on The Times were misled by their labor leaders into demanding that the proprietors of The Times should sign a contract binding themselves to employ only union workmen for one year at the old rate of composition. A similar demand on the other daily newspapers in this city was acceded to after a brief and feeble resistance. But The Times refused the unconscionable and tyrannical demand of the Typographical Union, and when the union printers employed by it struck it supplied their places with non-union men. The strikers attempted a boycott, which failed, for the advertisers refused to withdraw their patronage, and the subscription list of the paper was enlarged instead of being reduced by the boycott.

That was twenty-three years ago, and ever since The Times has been in the forefront of the fight against industrial despotism. Its attitude against union-labor despotism has given it a nation-wide and indeed a world-wide prestige. But for its attitude Los Angeles might have been, like some other cities, reduced to abject submission to the labor unions, with its great manufacturing and commercial interests checked, if not paralyzed, by grasping, blackmailing labor leaders. As it is, the hammers ring and the shuttles shift and the spindles hum and the skyscrapers climb and orchards are planted and fields harvested without leave or license from walking delegates.

Labor-unionism made its last stand against The Times four years ago when its murderous mercenaries assassinated twenty Times employees and reduced half a million dollars' worth of property to ashes. The only effect of their action was to delay the publication of The Times for about three hours on the morning of the explosion. A subsidiary plant was put in working order. The brave men and women of Los Angeles stood by their great journal. A new and greater building was erected on the site of the old one.

In this connection one is reminded of the eloquent language in which Freedom was apotheosized by an orator who long since journeyed on: "I have seen her foes gather around her. I have seen her friends fly from her. I have seen her burned at the stake. I have seen them scatter her ashes to the winds, regathering them again that they might scatter them yet more widely, and, as they turned to exult, she has met them, clad in complete steel, bearing in her strong right hand a flaming sword, red with insufferable light."

The Times stands, where it has always stood, for the Constitution, unmarred by fads, for the equal rights of all men before the law, for the expansion of commerce, for a sound currency, for tariff protection, for the restoration of our mercantile marine, for government of the people, by the people, for the people, for all measures that will enhance the growth and prosperity of this mighty city.

On these principles it will continue to stand, and "against it the gates of hell shall not prevail."

A PAN-AMERICAN ALLIANCE. The Monroe doctrine was adopted in no Quixotic spirit of succoring other nations in this hemisphere whose dependent existence might be menaced by the Holy Alliance. It was adopted because our statesmen—Jefferson, Adams, Madison and Monroe—felt that our national prosperity and growth, if not our very existence as a nation, would be jeopardized if the powers of continental Europe should change South and Central American governments from republics into kingdoms.

Conditions have materially changed in ninety years. We have grown from one of the weakest and poorest of nations to be one of the most populous nations in the world, and second to no nation in both aggregate and individual wealth, with the smallest national debt both in the aggregate and per capita of any power on earth.

We do not need the Monroe doctrine any more for our own protection. If, as is not remotely possible, there were a chain of monarchies established from the Rio Grande to Cape Horn, with a dozen dinky kings and swell-fronted emperors, and regiments of dukes and counts and gold sticks in waiting and liveried lackeys by the thousand, it would not in the least affect our progress or call for the exercise of our power.

Nor do our southern sister republics need the strong arm of Uncle Sam to protect them from European invasion. Brazil and Argentina and Chile are each able to repel aggression from any European power, besides being both able and willing to protect Peru and Colombia and Venezuela and Guatemala should occasion arise.

Instead of the Monroe doctrine, which events have made more or less obsolete, we have the Jeffersonian doctrine of "friendship with all nations, entangling alliances with none."

It is idle to talk of a Pan-American alliance in the sense of an alliance for defensive and offensive war, such as exists between England, France and Russia. There is no power or combination of powers in Europe that could land 250,000 or even 100,000 soldiers on our Atlantic or Pacific or Gulf shores, or, if they were surreptitiously landed and marched into our interior cities, could ever re-embark them, except in their coffins or as paroled prisoners of war. We would never need the help of Brazil or Argentina, and these countries would never need our help to resist European invasion.

But there can be, and ought to be, and will be a Pan-American alliance framed, not by diplomats, but fashioned by merchants. Its protocols will be carried on the decks of great steamers that will ply between Los Angeles and Buenos Ayres and between New York and Valparaiso, carrying American manufactures and food products there, and bringing return cargoes of coffee and rubber and nitrates and iron ore.

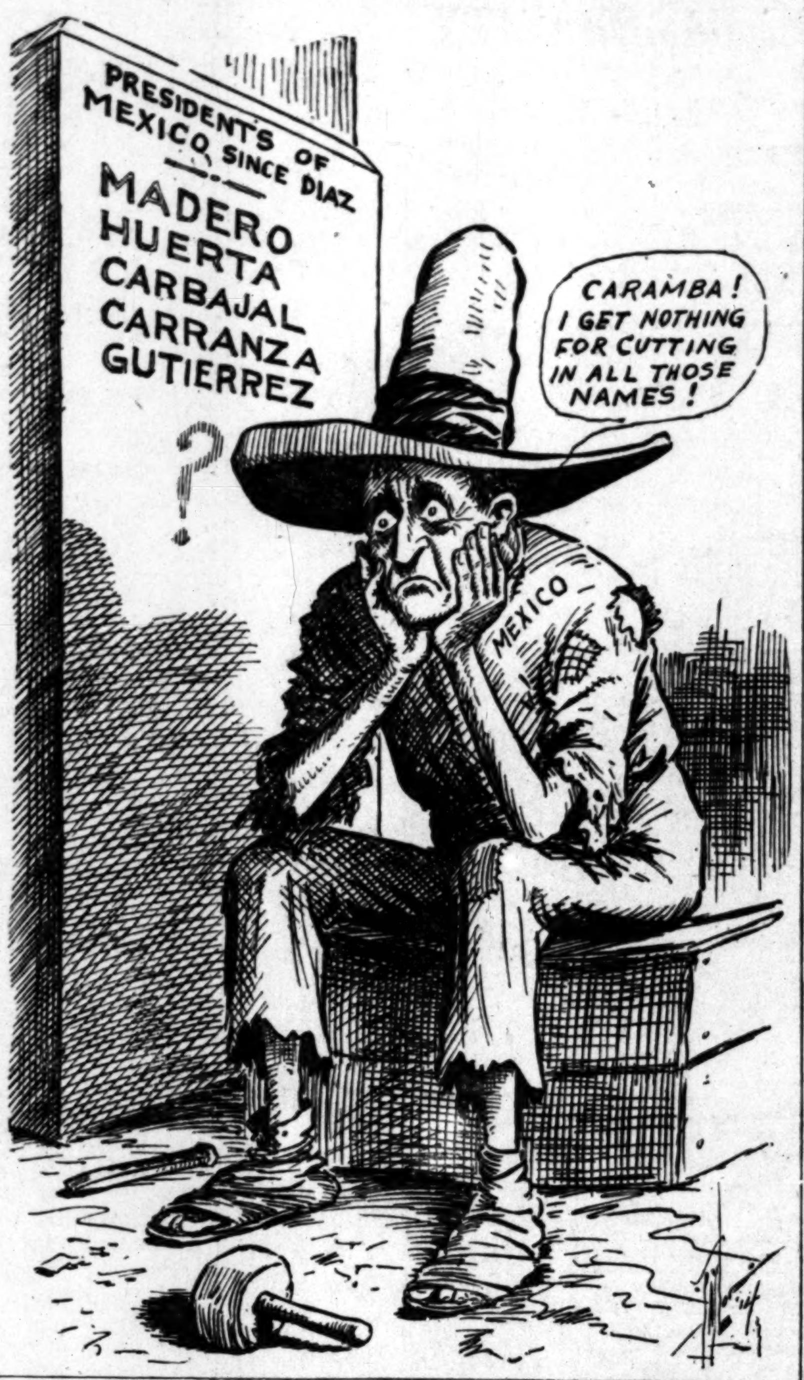
This Pan-American commercial alliance will be created by the Panama Canal. It will have its credentials exchanged in counting-rooms and not in secretarial offices. It will be a gigantic and all-embracing treaty of peace and amity that will be ratified, not by Senates, but by argosies of commerce that will churn the seas into a foam.

Within a year or so the readers of The Times will peruse in its marine news an item something like the following: "Arrived, the 20,000-ton steamer Brazilia with a cargo of coffee, crude rubber and llama wool from Rio Janeiro. Departed, the new steamer Golden State loaded with cotton fabrics, automobiles, flour, wines and dried fruits for Buenos Ayres."

Our tourists will no longer journey through poor, war-devastated Europe. They will buy round-trip tickets from Los Angeles via the Panama Canal to the east coast of South America, south to Buenos Ayres, touching at Rio Janeiro and other points, thence across the Andes by rail to Valparaiso, thence northward, making brief stops at many points, to San Pedro and to their homes in God's country.

THE FATE OF THE TURK. The English press is busy with predictions as to what will happen to Turkey. They foresee "the disappearance of the Turk from Europe and his relegation to the role of a minor Asiatic power." We think they are right, but we don't see why they should quarrel with Germany about it. They ought to be grateful instead. Indeed we should think that the whole civilized world would frankly bless any agency that would end in having the Turk spanked and put where he belongs.

Growing Tired of His Job.



WORKING OF THE NEW NAVIGATION LAW. Seventy British ships, eight German, five Belgian and one Norwegian, aggregating 303,204 tons, were transferred to the American flag between September 1 and November 15. This is more tonnage than has been added to the American merchant marine since 1890 and is about equal to the tonnage lost in 1863-64 by the operations of the Alabama and Shenandoah.

Nearly all of the seventy ships transferred from the British flag were American-owned. They were flying the British flag because they were built on the Clyde where labor is cheaper than in the United States, and because the navigation laws of Great Britain were more liberal to shipowners than those of the United States.

An American could not hoist the flag of his country on his own ship if that ship was built abroad, and the high cost of construction in this country compelled American shipowners to patronize foreign shipbuilders.

Great Britain, Germany, Belgium and Norway permitted registry of foreign-built ships. Our navigation laws prohibited such registry. These European powers legislated to build up their merchant marine, while we, in the interest of a few American shipbuilding firms, legislated so as to hinder the upbuilding of ours.

It is claimed that admitting foreign-built ships to American registry has not injured American shipbuilding, but has actually stimulated it.

The sudden demand for ships to carry cotton, wool and other articles non-contraband of war to the nations engaged in the war, and to carry food from neutral nations to neutral nations, could be best filled by American ships, for the war insurance on British, German, French, Russian and Austrian ships was and is from 20 to 50 per cent. on ship and cargo. This heavy insurance cost is necessarily added to the freight charges, and an American ship can carry freight at an immensely lower rate than a ship of any of the warring powers. This fact has not only caused the transfer of so many foreign-built ships to American registry; it has stimulated the building of ships in this country and our shipbuilding plants are being worked to the extent of their capacity.

Another feature of the new registry law which was bitterly opposed by the Seamen's Unions is the clause permitting the retention of alien crews on ships taking American registry. No American master, mate or pilot has lost his employment in consequence of the law, and many have found employment on the foreign-built ships that have been transferred to American registry.

When the war shall come to an end the conditions which enabled foreign ships to carry freight between foreign and American ports cheaper than American ships will exist no longer. The enormous expense of the war and the doubling of national indebtedness will be borne by every industry, and shipping will not escape.

The difference between the taxes paid on a British ship and the taxes paid on an American ship will go far towards equalizing the cost of running the vessels.

In the meantime we shall have gained our proper position as a maritime nation and we will never again be driven from the seas by an Alabama or a Shenandoah.

Reports from the front say that Hans Braun, the fastest runner in Germany, has had both legs cut off. And like all good soldiers Hans no doubt could make better time coming this way than going that.

DEAR FOOLS.

BY ALMA WHITAKER.

Yes, indeed, the Lord made women fools for his own good purposes. It would be a most uncomfortable old world if women were all strictly logical, sensible, rational.

There are those dear militant suffragettes, for instance. They are still busy publishing their papers; but, oh, what a difference in their text. Six months ago they breathed blood and thunder; today they are filled with news of the Red Cross and relief work, soldiers' widows' pensions, Belgian orphans, first aid instructions—duty, duty, duty, and never a line about rights.

Like the rescue steamers after a wreck they are valiantly "standing by" to lend their uttermost aid, with never a thought for the fatal feminine weakness they are showing, and remarkably few sneers for masculine militancy which sends millions of souls to their Maker, as against a few property wreckages of the mere feminine genre.

There is Sylvia Pankhurst, the slum free lance, who was wont to lead her army of hooligans on Trafalgar Square in times of peace and incite rebellion with terrible forcefulness. Behold her now one of the best recruiting agents the government could have, for her power over the roughs of the East End of London is wonderful. Her newspaper, the Woman's Dreadnaught, which continues to arrive regularly, is devoted entirely in the last issue I received to "Mothers and Babies," "Our Toy Factory," "Garment-Making for Relief," "Our Boot Factory," "Advice to Soldiers' Wives," "Coal for Empty Grates"—those are the headings on one page alone, and every paragraph breathes help, thoughtfulness, sympathy!

It is the same with the Pethwick Lawrence's paper, Votes for Women, and with Christabel Pankhurst's organ, The Suffragette. They are all given over to sentimental femininity, nursing, mothering, practical relief for the woes of the war.

And to think that if only they had been coldly logical, unrelentingly rational, they could have wrung their vote from the government in this splendid crisis, made their own hard bargain.

Politically, they have lost a great opportunity. Deliberately given it away. The dear fools. And yet! How England must look back longingly to that happy time when the suffragette seemed to be militant!

But, if we are to believe a report from San Francisco, the Irish Nationalists have no intention of being that same kind of fool. It is said that they are arming against the government to help the enemy unless they are instantly accorded their full rights. That is good, consistent, masculine logic. Seizing the opportunity with both hands. That's good, sane politics. Sure.

Of course women are too foolish to be entrusted with the vote. What do women know of politics?

Look at those soldiers' wives in France. We are told that thousands of them have refused their pensions, preferring to till the soil instead, and thus feel they are helping rather than hampering their country. And these are French girls who have had a reputation for irresponsible frivolity through the ages. No finger of scorn would have been pointed at them if they had just accepted all they could get and even whined prettily for more. But instead they harvested the bulk of the grape crop and did it so well that the French wine growers report a banner year, the best since 1870. It was really rather unwomanly of them and they must have realized how they were jeopardizing their sweet femininity, yet the dear, unthinking fools, they risked it.

And a German newspaper proudly boasts that more babies are being born since the war broke out than during any previous three months for many years. That, with an appalling scarcity of male doctors, these same infants are thriving, and the percentage of mortality is negligible. That doesn't sound true. Think of it; how could those poor, foolish women manage to bear and rear robust infants with their husbands and 99 per cent. of the doctors away at the war!

Yet one is inclined to believe it. Women can be such dear, practical, sensible fools on occasion. Perhaps some day, a long time hence, that practical foolishness will be trained to great heights of achievement and we, too, shall be able to show the world our genius in the invention of something really great and useful like shrapnel. Gen. Shrapnel, the clever man who invented that most effective ammunition of war, is enshrined in the hearts of many nations. Doubtless we shall work up to it if we persevere.

And then? What a jolly world!

In the meantime one of the most foolish of valiant maids is being canonized for the nth time. The allies are erecting another statue of Joan of Arc, the Maid of Orleans, on the farthest point into France which the German army attained. The Czar, King George, King Albert and the Mikado have each hastened to contribute a thousand francs to this good purpose.

Which, while entirely praiseworthy and deliciously sentimental, is a little ironical. How can they possibly go out of their way to show such reverend approval of a foolish militant maid? King George of all people should have shown proper masculine consistency and refused to participate. Joan, dear, we looks t'ards you!

RIPPLING RHYMES.

OCEANS OF BLOOD.

The war proceeds and Europe bleeds, she's reeling and exhausted; and kings, I feel, find martial zeal already badly frosted. They look around, and on the ground they see a million bodies, and war's a thing, no more to sing, or toast in foaming toddies. The dullest prince must shrink and wince, when fairly he considers the woe and pain, the heaps of slain, the fatherless, the widders. And in his dreams he must, meseems, behold the spectres gory or those who gave all for a grave on some red "field of glory." I'd hate, by jing, to be a King, a Sultan, Czar or Kaiser, and see the ghosts of butchered hosts along the Aisne and Yser. They may exclaim, "We're not to blame, we're meek as any kitten," but they must bear the curse and wear the shame when all is written. No use for prince his words to mince, and say, "It's not my doing;" until he croaks the spectre folks his steps will be pursuing. And when he lands on Jordan's sands, the ghosts will gather round him, the men he slew, an awful crew, to startle and confound him.

WALT MASON.

His Daughter's Beau: Yes, I'm a Socialist. I believe that those who get the benefit from the labor should be made to perform the labor. The Old Man: Fine. You might begin by setting up the parlor stove for the winter.—[Town Topics.

Pen Points: By Stathef

What is Secretary Redfield's real job?

The eternal smudge pot is the price of a harvest of oranges.

The Bull Moosers had a powwow in Chicago this week and the party wasn't there.

The time for peace in Europe is not only ripe, but overripe. In fact it is spoiling.

Yet it must be admitted that the war is nearer an end than it ever has been before.

And now speaks up the postmaster and saith: "Do your Christmas mailing early."

Duke Kahanamoku, the famous Hawaiian swimmer, has left for Australia. He went by boat.

There is no war tax on marriage licenses. But the high cost of living comes later in the game.

If football interferes with enlistments in England, stop the enlistments. That is our idea of neutrality.

Don't believe all you read in the comic paragraphs. Very often a mother-in-law leaves her son-in-law money.

We do not understand that Pancho Villa ever claimed that he was making war in the interest of the higher culture.

Speaking of the war on the high C's, what is the matter with a test of strength between the dreadnaughts Cudahy and Coates?

The gypsy band charged with terrorizing the Antelope Valley has been acquitted. Mr. Conductor, a dance by Carmen and Don Jose, please.

Tia Juana is again in the limelight. Where is Gen. C. Rhys Pryce? Oh, he is with the allies in the trenches along the battle line in France.

The supplementary German war budget of $1,250,000,000 does not sound very big in a country that has a billion-dollar Congress in time of perfect peace.

Ranchers desiring a lot of huskies to assist in the various harvests can be accommodated after December 18 when the anti-boxing law goes into effect.

With the Sanjak of Novibazar brought to the front by the war there will be really but little public curiosity as to what becomes of the Ahkoond of Swat.

Austria and those Serbs remind one of the wounded trapper watching the wolves creep in as his fire burns down, when there is nothing in sight to replenish it.

Gen. Funston has been publicly praised for the record he made at Vera Cruz. His experience as a journalist prevented him from slopping over in a trying situation.

King George is reported as saying that he would make any sacrifice for his country, but we understand he draws the line on the suggestion that sacrifices his facial foliage.

The Democrats and Bull Moosers in Pennsylvania, who united under the name of the Washington party, spent $31,756.64 in the November campaign and what they got out of it wasn't worth it.

Wonder what King George said to President Poincare when they met behind the British battle lines? Probably what the Governor of North Carolina remarked to the Governor of South Carolina on a certain historic occasion.

We have often wondered if the children in Mexico did not need a Christmas relief fund. For four years their fathers have been fighting, through winter, fall and summer, and no one has suggested contributions for the victims of the war or their children.

The inquiry into the loss of the Hanalei off Duxbury reef has resulted in a verdict that Second Officer Reese altered the course of the vessel without knowing just where he was. The elimination of official red tape in getting vessels to the rescue in time is also suggested.

It can hardly be expected that the negro clerks employed in the departments at Washington will be relieved of segregation from the fact that the administration, beginning with President Wilson, and the most of his Cabinet, are southern men who are accustomed to discriminate against the blacks from the cradle to the grave.

With the adoption of the Federal bank idea it might be well to recollect that the Republican heresy of a central national bank has been adopted in actual fact. The Aldrich-Vreeland commission provided for such an institution and the Democrats almost yelled their heads off in bitter opposition. They defeated banking reform and then went to work and passed an exactly similar bill.

SISTER AT THE PIANO.

Upon the gleaming keys
 Her lily hands she lays,
And with unstudied ease,
 Inspired of touch, she plays
Old, well-loved melodies
 Enjoyed in other days.
Exquisite harmonies,
 Love-songs, and simple lays;
Sad tunes, wild ecstacies,
 And ringing hymns of praise,
'Till hallowed memories
 From Time's dark vaults upraise.

From this well-chosen chair
 I watch the changing light
Outline her profile fair
 With every movement slight,
And, playing in her hair,
 Bring hidden gold to sight.
Her presence fills the air
 With such a pure delight,
She seems, while playing there,
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An angel, chastely rare,
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Colton, Cal.

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Give Him a Dressing Gown

Every man needs a Dressi[ng] Gown, a Smoking Jacket or Bathrobe. He'll apprecia[te] any one of them selected fro[m] our new Christmas stoc[k]. They're priced at

$5, $6, $6.50, $7.50 up to $12.50

in fine woolens—sizes 34 t[o] 46.

—Silk and Velvet ones $1[...] to $25.

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... smudge pot is the price of a ...anges.

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...r peace in Europe is not only ...ripe. In fact it is spoiling.

... be admitted that the war is ... than it ever has been before.

...peaks up the postmaster and ...our Christmas mailing early."

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... war tax on marriage licenses, ... cost of living comes later in

...interferes with enlistments in ... the enlistments. That is our ...ality.

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... understand that Pancho Villa ... that he was making war in ... the higher culture.

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A lengthy opinion was received from Atty.-Gen. Webb, notifying the Board of Education that funds cannot be used for the placing or maintaining of a school exhibit at the exposition.

The ten leading book-sellers of the city signed a protest and addressed it to the Board of Education, against the proposed United Students' Co-operative Association, the spokesman declaring that it would put many small dealers out of business. It developed in the discussion that the association will save nothing whatever to the parents of the pupils, as all books and other supplies are sold at the regular retail price, the student bodies of the several schools sharing in the profits that otherwise would go to the regular dealer. The superintendent and principals of the schools, who were asked to make a recommendation on the question, refused to do so, but it was recommended that the high schools be allowed to handle new books. The discussion closed by referring this recommendation back to the superintendent, which means that no new books will be sold in the school building. They have for many years sold and exchanged second-hand books for the benefit of the pupils.

"BILL" BRYAN HIS BACKER.

So Says Unknown Democrat, who Believes He'll Take Job Here as Special Agent.

A tall, thin man, possibly 65 years of age, bent with years, but the fire of the "new freedom" Democracy in his eyes, was a caller yesterday at the office of Special Agent Bowen of the Department of Justice.

He knocked gingerly, and spoke softly, as he said to Mr. Bowen: "I see by The Times this morning that you have resigned."

"It is true," said Mr. Bowen, "I am quiting the service."

"Is there much to do about the place," queried the stranger.

Mr. Bowen, seeing that he had a strange fish in his net, proceeded to dilate on the many duties of the office.

"I think I'll apply for the job," said the caller.

"Have you ever been in the government service? What sort of backing have you got?" asked Mr. Bowen.

"Backing," fairly shouted the old man. "Why, sir, I will have you to know that I have the very best of backing. The last time Bill Bryan was out here he told me I could have any good thing there is on the line on the Pacific Coast. You say this place pays $4500 a year; that is good enough for Alex," and he strode out without leaving any postoffice address.

ADVERTISING CONTEST.

Employees of Security Trust and Savings Bank Soon to be Awarded Prizes in Unique Contest.

A unique advertising-writing contest for the employees of the Security Trust and Savings Bank closed yesterday, and prizes will be awarded within a few days. There were six different competitive features, including writing of newspaper advertisements, circular letters, etc. A large number of employees filed their copy with J. F. Sartori, president of the bank, yesterday.

Two prizes of $25 will be given, one to the person writing the best letter inviting newcomers to visit the bank, and the other to the person writing the best letter to be sent to old residents of the city, setting forth the advantages of the bank.

The judges in four of the contests are J. F. Wilson, president of the Los Angeles Advertising Club; Frances Holmes of the Holmes Advertising Agency, and Warren McIntyre of the Warren McIntyre Service. In the two remaining contests the bank officials will act as judges.

Repudiation.

SCHOOL IMMORALITY CHARGES FALL FLAT.

STATEMENTS attributed to Judge Taft by Mrs. Berthold Baruch, vice-president of the Los Angeles Society of Social Hygiene, in her charges that gross immorality exists in the city's public schools, were repudiated by him yesterday. When Mrs. Baruch was informed of the action of the judge of the Juvenile Court she said that she has lost faith in humanity and is so discouraged that she will not press her accusations.

Principal Housh of the Los Angeles High School will name a committee today to confer with Mrs. Baruch and sift the charges made by her against the fair name of the schools. Mrs. Dorsey, assistant superintendent, will be chairman of the committee. The other members will be vice-principals.

Mrs. Baruch said last night that she will meet with the committee, but that since she has been deserted by her principal supporters she will not make an aggressive effort to prove her original accusations against the 90,000 school children of the city.

JUDGE'S STATEMENT.

Judge Taft made the following statement yesterday:

"I regret the use of my name in connection with the present discussion of immorality among scholars in the public schools. When asked concerning it by Mrs. Baruch I told her that the records of the Juvenile Court wholly failed to support the charges, which were certainly greatly exaggerated.

"I added that the source of the persistent rumors seemed based upon such a report as had come to me, not evidence, and scarcely more than gossip, yet still a thing actually stated; and that report is substantially repeated in the published account of Mrs. Baruch's report to the committee. But I said I don't believe it, and that it ought not to be repeated.

"Officially and personally I agree with the statement attributed to Dr. Probasco, that whatever the actual condition, it is far more due to lack of parental control and proper home training than to the schools; and still more emphatically I approve Prof. Francis's stand concerning the unwarranted attack upon the high character of our schools."

FAITH LOST.

Mrs. Baruch expressed great surprise at the statement made by Judge Taft.

"I am grieved and disappointed at the way Judge Taft has backed down in this matter," Mrs. Baruch declared. "This takes away my faith in human nature. Under the circumstances it will be impossible for me to go on with the investigation. I will meet with the committee to be appointed by Principal Housh, but I will not make any aggressive effort to prove my original contentions.

"Judge Taft expressed interest in what I was doing and said that he wished to co-operate with me. I have a witness, Dr. Maud Wilde, who heard him make the statements, which I attributed to him. But this controversy is becoming painful to me and I will drop it. If the persons who have promised me support fail me there is no use for me to go ahead."

HIS PHILOSOPHY.

J. B. Monlux, deputy superintendent of schools, issued this statement yesterday:

Young people are immoral not on account of the schools and the methods of education, but in spite of them; not on account of the Sunday-schools and churches, but in spite of them; not on account of the efforts of society and the safeguards it tries to throw around the youth, but in spite of them.

Our teachers, as a whole, are pure, high-minded, noble, working, always to develop the purest, best and holiest in their boys and girls.

If we have segregation in the schools, we should have it in the homes and in society. The influence of a good pure girl or woman in the school life of the boys, is one of the most ennobling, taming, purifying influences under heaven.

Are the fathers and mothers to be relieved of all responsibility in the rearing of their children and the schools to be charged with the entire responsibility? In that case the schools must be clothed with supreme power in dealing with the problem.

There is great need that all people and all organizations work together continuously for the betterment of humanity and physical and moral purification of the race.

Reckless criticisms can never accomplish any good results. Most of all we should know beyond all peradventure where the fault lies before we assume the responsibility of placing it.

Reducing a Jockey's Weight.

[Pittsburgh Chronicle Telegraph:] There could be no dispute in the matter. The jockey was just over weight—only the merest fraction, but enough to disqualify him.

The disappointed owner glanced from the little rider to the scales, then to the little rider again.

"Williams," he said, "can't you do something to lighten yourself a bit?"

"No, sir; ain't 'ad a bite of any sort these two days."

"Hum! Shaved?"

"Yes, sir; five minutes ago."

"Finger nails?"

The jockey held out his hands. The nails were clipped almost to the quick.

For a moment the owner was silent. Then a bright idea occurred to him.

"Run away and have your tonsils cut," he shouted. "Hurry, lad, hurry!"

Staub's Shoes have been recognized for years as the best in value, style and workmanship. We guarantee them fully.

$3 to $7

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The Popular Price Shoe Store.

336 SO. BROADWAY

Holiday Gifts

LET'S make this a Christmas of Practical Gifts—*gifts of something to wear*—by starting *now* and giving this gift problem a *careful* study. Let's choose gifts that are substantial and will be appreciated for all the year.

We are ready to help you in your selections and are offering gifts that *are substantial and useful.* Our big Christmas stock has been painstakingly gathered for your selection and our salesmen are competent, courteous and intelligent; they can help you in deciding on your most appropriate gift.

Here Are a Few Practical Suggestions for a Man's Christmas

Give Him a Dressing Gown

Every man needs a Dressing Gown, a Smoking Jacket or a Bathrobe. He'll appreciate any one of them selected from our new Christmas stock. They're priced at

$5, $6, $6.50, $7.50 up to $12.50

in fine woolens—sizes 34 to 46.

—Silk and Velvet ones $15 to $25.

A Perfect Suit of Clothes

Whether it's for Father, Brother or Husband, a Stein-Bloch or Stratford System Suit is excellent taste. The dignity, the reflection of perfect style in every detail and the excellent workmanship throughout will make you understand the real values in these suits at

$20 to $45

—Also we have the only really big variety of Overcoats in the city. These are by the same well known makers, and just as moderately priced as the suits. Others as low as $15.

Give Your Boy a Sweater

A big, warm, well made sweater, in cardinal, white, gray, Oxford, tan or brown, will please him more than anything else. Some very attractive ones in our boys department, in all sizes, priced at

$1.50 to $6

If in Doubt—a Merchandise Order

This is a very practical way of giving—with some preferable. The receiver gets just what he wants in his own size and style. We issue them in any amount, good any time.

Also Glove and Hat Bonds.

Automobile Robes and Steamer Rugs

Warm and comfortable—all wool and two yards wide. In the plaids, browns and grays, Scotch plaids. They make very acceptable, rememberable Christmas gifts.

$6 to $12

—It's Been Raining!

Did you have your umbrella, of were you one of the many that suffered in the dampness. But the rains have just begun, you know, and you'd better look to your umbrella. We have them, all kinds and all prices.

$1 to $25

On the First Floor.

Harris & Frank

437-443 SOUTH SPRING ST.

—Home of Ostermoor Mattresses— —McCall Patterns—

Coulter Dry Goods Co.

FOUNDED IN 1878

U. S. Postoffice Sub-Station. W. U. Telegraph Branch. American Express Branch.

A GLOVE ORDER this year will be more timely than ever for gift purposes, for gloves are soon to be higher priced, and will inevitably be difficult to secure. Give someone an order; any amount, and redeemable at any time.

(Gloves; Main Floor; Cashier's Desk; Main Floor)

Popularly-Priced Blanket Bath Robes $2.75

Any woman will like to receive a blanket bath robe; they are comfortable, pretty and may be inexpensive, if bought here:

Those at $2.75—are in gray and white, blue and white, navy and red and rose and white.

Those at $3.50—are shown with or without collar, and in a large assortment of delightfully pretty patterns and colors.

Those at $5.00—are splendid values; comprising an even wider range of designs and shades and styles than in the lower-priced ones.

(Blanket Robes; Second Floor)

A Sale of Chiffons

Black and white striped chiffon; regularly $1.25 to $1.50 a yard 75c

44-inch Rainbow Chiffon; pink, blue, green, yellow, reg. $1.25, yd. 75c

18-inch white chiffon, embroidered in colors; reg. $1.25, yd. 75c

Remnants—of embroideries from two to 45 inches wide, at..........*Half*

(Embroideries; Main Floor)

Novelty Silks $1.85; Values Here to $3.50

The very silks best adapted for fancy work, or for waist and dress patterns for some one's very practical gift. You may see some of them in a display window — many more are in the sale; novelty crepes, fancy chiffons, fancy Marquisettes, pussy willow taffetas, French radiums, brocaded Charmeuse and others; all in good taste, all, of course, of highest quality; specially priced for clearance, at $1.85.

(Silks; Broadway Annex)

Steamer & Automobile Robes Reduced

Offering excellent opportunity to make an extremely practical present to some friends who travels, or owns a motor car. These are the 1915 patterns, imported English, Scotch and Irish makes, and the showing of beautiful styles and patterns is larger than we ever displayed:

$30 Rugs	$22.50
$25 Rugs	$18.50
$20 Rugs	$15.00
$17.50 Rugs	$13.50
$15 Rugs	$11.50
$12.50 Rugs	$9.50
$10 Rugs	$7.75

(Steamer Rugs; Rear South Aisle)

Eiderdowns for Bath Robes—best assortment hereabouts, yd. 35c

Cords and tassels to match, set..........40c

French Wool Challis..........50c

Bath Robe Blankets, a wide variety of designs and patterns, with cord and tassels, special..........$2.95

Others in all-wool, at..........$7.50 and $8.50

Indian Patterns, with cord to match..........$10

(Wash Goods; Rear South Aisle)

Coverts—First in Popularity, First Here

—New York is covert-mad; Los Angeles will share the craze as soon as women see the beautiful display which appears in Los Angeles first at Coulter's.

Handsome putty, sand and mastic (the neutral shade,) coverts for costumes, suits, skirts, separate coats, some cravenetted, others in silk warp, 56 and 60 inches wide, $2.50 to $4.50.

(Wool Goods; Broadway Annex)

Kayser Lisle Vests Reduced

These well-known and well-liked vests in lisle, have hand crocheted tops, and are eminently suitable for gifts.

The 50c grade is now 35c; 3 for $1.

The $1 grade is now 75c.

The $1.25 grade is now 95c.

The $2 grade is now $1.75.

(Knitwear; South Aisle)

Envelope Chemises Specially Priced

No garment for women's underwear has proven so attractive as the Envelope Chemise; here they are at sale prices:

Of Crepe de Chine, were $1, now 75c.

Of crepe, scallop edge, $1 and $1.25.

Of nainsook, were $1.75, now $1.25.

—with Valenciennes edges and medallions, were $1.75, now $1.25.

—very fine nainsook; were $2.50, now $1.75.

—of fine nainsook; fancy style; were $2, now $1.50.

—of fine nainsook; elaborately trimmed with shadow lace, etc., were $5.50, now $3.75.

—with hand embroidered lace edge; were $1.50, now $1.

—with hand embroidered Cluny edge; were $2.25, now $1.50.

—hand embroidered filet edge; were $3, now $2.

(Muslinwear; South Aisle)

$3.50 Grecian Tricot Corsets Now $2.50

These brand-new underpriced corsets have just reached us; made by the Benjamin & Johnes manufacturers, of high-grade Grecian Tricot; they are, without doubt, one of the finest corsets obtainable at $3.50; here, in sizes 19 to 36, only $2.50

Display Corset Forms — for waist and dress fitting; satin covered, and in good condition; special, $1.

(Corsets; Second Floor)

Stylish Dresses $9.75, Worth 1/3 More; and $16.75, Worth to $30

If your wardrobe shows any lack of ready-to-wear dresses, or if you contemplate purchasing a thoroughly good suit—and care to save in your buying—you will investigate these true bargains today:

The Dresses

—are shown in satins, charmeuse, crepes de chine; navy, Copenhagen and greens; long and regular waist line styles, pleated, tunic and plain skirts.

At $9.75—worth a third more.

At $16.75—worth to $30 each.

The Suits at $16.75

—are becoming models in Bedford, cheviot, poplin, serge, gabardine, in navy, black, plum, brown, Copenhagen, green; long or short coats, plain or tunic skirts:

At $16.75—worth up to $30.

(Garment Section; Second Floor)

Coulter's—215-229 South Broadway—224-228 South Hill Street—Coulter's

Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—The Theaters.

MOVEMENTS IN SOCIETY.

BEAUTIFUL women, handsome gowns, soft-colored lights and sweet music combined with the thoughts of a noble work well done, made the charity ball at the Alexandria last night, given for the benefit of the Children's Hospital, the most brilliant society affair of the season.

From 11 o'clock till well into the morning the merry dancers, both old and young, held sway in the two ballrooms of the hotel and many and various were the methods of entertainment.

Dancing contests between Los Angeles and Pasadena couples, wheels of fortune, prize bouquets and confetti battles were some of the features of the evening.

The ballrooms were beautifully decorated with tall palms, electric flowers and colored lights, and many electrical effects were made to take place during the evening, changing the ballrooms from one color to another in rapid succession.

Two orchestras, furnished through the courtesy of J. E. Quinn, delighted the dancers with superb music.

Shortly before midnight a large electric basket was carried into the room and from it emerged a little fairy dancer, Miss Bernice Sibeck, who entertained the guests most pleasantly.

With the ball last night such a success it is expected that the next one to be given on the 10th inst. will be even larger, and preparations will be begun at once to take care of the guests and furnish a new variety of entertainment.

Following is a list of the patronesses: Mrs. A. C. Balch, Mrs. Kate Vosburg, Mrs. E. L. Doheny, Mrs. George Birkel, Mrs. Godfrey Holterhoff, Mrs. William May Garland, Mrs. I. N. Van Nuys, Mrs. C. E. Thom, Mrs. Albert Crutcher, Mrs. Hancock Banning, Mrs. Hugh Livingston Macneil, Mrs. Guy B. Barham, Mrs. Roland Bishop, Mrs. H. W. O'Melveny, Mrs. Chester H. Montgomery, Mrs. Charles Monroe, Mrs. J. E. Sartori, Mrs. Fred W. Flint, Mrs. E. J. Marshall, Mrs. W. I. Hollingsworth, Mrs. Granville MacGowan, Mrs. A. C. Bilicke, Mrs. Guy Cochran, Mrs. Rea Smith, Mrs. R. J. Rogers, Mrs. E. T. Earl, Mrs. J. E. Cook, Mrs. A. L. Cheney, Mrs. Burton L. Green, Mrs. R. A. Rowan, Mrs. E. A. Bryant, Mrs. J. J. Byrns, Mrs. H. H. Rose, Mrs. E. T. Stimson, Mrs. W. T. Bishop, Jr., Mrs. Carol Allen, Mrs. Harold Cook, Mrs. Charles Sumner Kent, Mrs. W. W. Johnston, Mrs. M. J. Connell, Mrs. W. W. Mines, Mrs. W. A. Clark, Jr., Mrs. John Maurer, Mrs. W. R. Wheat, Mrs. F. E. Wilbur, Mrs. Robert Flint, Mrs. Randolph Huntington Miner, Mrs. J. C. Drake, Mrs. Russell Taylor, Mrs. Dean Mason, Mrs. Howard Huntington, Mrs. Joseph Banning, Mrs. Harry Ainsworth, Dr. and Mrs. Titian Coffey, Mrs. William Hook, Mrs. Avery McCarthy, Mrs. Louis Cole, Mrs. Willoughby Rodman, Mrs. Jarvis Barlow, Mrs. Sidney Wailles, Mrs. Arthur Letts, Mrs. William Kerckhoff, Mrs. Caspar Whitney, Mrs. Spencer Smith, Mrs. Isaac Milbank, Mrs. Seely Mudd, Mrs. Harry Lombard, Mrs. Shelley Tolhurst, Mrs. Homer Laughlin, Mrs. M. F. Ihmsen, Mrs. Harry Chandler and Mrs. Dan Murphy.

Church Bazaar.

The women in charge of the Christ's Church bazaar to be given at the Alexandria on the 10th, 11th and 12th inst. are putting forth every effort to make the affair a grand success. Various novel methods will be employed that promise to be very interesting to all those who attend. The following is a list of booths and the names of those in charge, fancy work, Mrs. W. H. Perry; parcel post, Mrs. Cora S. Brough; linens, Mrs. Arthur Wright; dolls, Mrs. T. A. Williams; fancy aprons, Mrs. Anna Marshall; boudoir and theater caps, Mrs. F. J. Holmes; home-made candy, Mrs. Lucian Wilder; beads, Mrs. E. M. Ray; ribbons and flowers, Miss Martha Wright; refreshments, Mrs. G. W. Sellers; fresh flowers and plants, Mrs. Henry Clay King; household department, Mrs. J. E. Quinn; art and Christmas cards, Mrs. E. J. Brent, and old-fashioned quilts, Mrs. Mary Shiel. Each one of these ladies will be assisted in her department by many others and each committee is striving to make its particular booth the most attractive.

Married Yesterday.

John G. Monahan, a capitalist of Winnipeg, Can., was married yesterday in St. Vibiania Cathedral to Miss Margaret Grierson of this city. Miss Grierson has been a resident here for several years. The wedding yesterday was the culmination of a pretty romance that was begun in the Canadian city when Miss Grierson was visiting there a short time ago. Mr. Monahan has disposed of all his interests in Canada and will shortly become a resident of this section. The happy couple will enjoy a honeymoon throughout this State, and will then make their home in this city.

Monthly Meeting.

Mrs. James W. Johnson, Miss Florence Moore and Miss Mary Richards Gray will be hostesses at a meeting of the Daughters of the American Revolution on Wednesday afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'clock, at No. 601 St. Paul street. A delightful musical programme has been arranged and will be supplemented by the reading of original poems and stories by Mrs. W. E. Keepers and Miss Jennie Van Allen.

Wedding Anniversary.

Mr. and Mrs. Henry Tostmann recently celebrated their fiftieth wedding anniversary. The affair took place at Turner Hall with 150 guests present who presented the couple with a beautiful loving cup. A feature of the evening was the wedding ceremony, which was enacted in the same manner that it was fifty years ago. Mr. Tostmann is one of the founders of the Fidelia Maennerchor German Singing Society.

Fruit Shower.

Mrs. Harry P. Miller and daughter, Lucille, No. 722 South St. Louis street, entertained with a canned fruit shower in honor of Miss May Gallup, who is soon to marry George Bettinger. The home was decorated in peach blossoms, ferns and pink tulle.

Wednesday evening Miss Louise Fitzwilliam, daughter of Maj. Patrick Fitzwilliam, No. 2057 Oxford avenue, was quietly married to Henry M. Nave in the rectory of St. Joseph's Church. After the ceremony a dinner was served to the bridal party in the English room at Christopher's.

Cut-glass Shower.

The members of the G.S.C. Club entertained with a cut-glass shower recently in honor of Miss May Gallup, whose engagement to George Bettinger was recently announced. The affair was given at the home of Mrs. Edward Fox, No. 985 Sunbury street. Pink enchantress carnations and ferns were used in profusion for the decorations. Refreshments were carried out in the same color.

At San Diego.

Among Los Angeles people who registered at the St. James, in San Diego recently, are J. N. Russell, Jr., G. S. Badger, O. A. Dolfinger, R. M. O'Brien, F. N. Almstead, Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Grant, A. Y. Sully, J. F. Findley, Weltey Lowe, F. L. Russell, Mr. and Mrs. F. B. Wood and Frederick Roehrig.

Dinner Party.

Miss H. F. Bettis entertained a party of eight at dinner the other evening at Hotel Clark. Covers were laid in the grill.

Reckless Quotations.

By Sara Moore.

"We are puzzled to select a school for our girls. Somehow convent training no longer prepares a girl for the demands of society"—overheard at the dansant.

FOR WOMEN AND MEN.

Facts, Features and Fancies.

BY OLIVE GRAY.

THE GOOD HOUSEKEEPER'S HINT: Anyone can dress one of those "door dolls." They are just dolls, in quaint, old-time garb with full skirts, and concealed beneath their flounces is an ordinary brick which helps to maintain their equilibrium, as they stand before the door to hold it open. A pretty and useful gift from one homekeeper to another, this.

Have you adopted your Christmas children?

If you have no children and are truly interested in making merriment, or rather happiness, for someone at holiday time, look around and decide upon as many little ones as your circumstances will allow, and plan for them a Christmas. The blessed season will take on a new meaning to you and to them. There is the little family of the woman who comes for the laundry; or the wee ones in the family of the Jap who cares for the lawn, or—well, you will not have to search far, I am sure, to find some small people who would be lacking something of good cheer were such cheer not provided by you or someone. Do not count your cash and decide that you are too poor to do anything of the sort this year—for there are no doubt in your house many articles which could be utilized for the purpose of giving comfort and pleasure to those in the more humble walks, or in any walks, in fact. It is not so much the real value of what is received as it is the thought which accompanies it and the unexpectedness of it. Possibly there are many things in the attic or stored in chests which would make over or make into something for those small people. And even though you have children of your own, you need not because of this fail to adopt those other Christmas children. As a matter of fact your own children will take pleasure in helping you to plan for the others. There are toys which they will be willing to contribute, frocks which they will gladly relinquish, and it will be good for them to use their deft fingers in fashioning something of use and interest for those who will not have as much attention from Santa Claus as they will. If you have never tried it, hurry and adopt your Christmas children for you will find such pleasure in the holiday season as you have never dreamed of before.

French Prettiness.

I chanced to wander into one of the most exclusive of the Broadway shops for women's apparel and was interested in discovering in the holiday cases, examples of nearly every one of these lovely French articles for gifts that we have seen pictured in that popular fashion magazine which devotes itself to the passing mode. There was the charming lady with the puffy skirts which are meant to conceal the telephone in milady's boudoir, the smaller miss who pretends that the night lamp is nowhere about, until some one more bold than people in everyday life lifts her crinoline and discloses the "light hid under the bushel." And one demure miss allows her garments to shield a suspicious bottle! There are the cleverest conceits for the dressing table, all made in gold galloon and French ribbon flowers and tissue of gold and silver. There is a big, beautiful Red Cross knitting bag, so exquisite that it will amply cover the prose of knitting and transform it into something truly poetic. There are French cretonne covered boxes for holding the gift of fruit cake and smaller ones for keeping fresh the cookies upon the 5 o'clock tea table. I found it delightful to see in the real, the articles which I had admired in picture and moreover I felt a genuine pride in the fact that we may put to rout the tilt-nosed lady from New York who has averred that they have them "so very different back home." Oh, we know what's what! and have it—right here in little old Los Angeles, madame!

The Fox Trot.

Isn't that a clever name for shoes and the sign card which proclaims the name is as clever, too! And so are the shoes! It is in that shop where they make their own designs and execute them and in fact set examples of fine footwear for other parts of the world. Every smartly-dressed girl watches the windows of the Shoery for the latest mode in foot attire.

Making Gifting Easy.

Maud has certainly learned the royal road to gift making. I met her yesterday in the book corner and she had just given to the head of that well equipped department the list of those to whom she wished to present books for Christmas. She merely said: "I want so many books for the youth of twenty-one at college, so many for the boy of twelve, so many for the girl of seventeen," etc. The lady there, who knows all the books and what people think about them, set about filling the lists and Maud will simply write a check for the amount. She has learned how to gift-give at least expenditure of time and strength.

Poster Rugs in Boxes.

Novel and useful as well as pretty are the poster rugs in boxes, to be used as Christmas gifts. I have seen those in but one of the Broadway stores. The colorings and designs are charming and the boxing adds the needed holiday touch. Special prices, too.

Precious Fish Metal.

Until I visited that interesting shop just off Broadway in that short-off street which is really only a place between two actual streets, I never knew that gold fish were anything but merely gold fish—except in novels of newly-rich. I learned during that visit that there are as many kinds of gold fish as of other swimmies. Why right in that little shop there were fish costing from a few cents up to $15 each! And it seems that there are some very interesting features about these pretty creatures. One kind, called the lion-headed gold fish really did look like a lion, when he turned upon you fiercely, even though his body was only about the size—and somewhat of the shape—of a silver quarter. Another very precious gold-piece, worth $15, had "lantern eyes"—big, pop eyes projecting ahead of him like the lamps on a motor car. He is said to be one of the oldest gold fishes in America, and doubtless he has seen many things which other gold fishes can only guess about. While I was in that shop, many school children came in to purchase little globes of the fishes which are used in studying nature and I was told that there was a great demand for the handsome aquariums with fishes and water plants. These, it seems, are popular gifts. The fish become quite attached to their keepers and are not only unafraid, but actually saucy! Flirt their fins jauntily and flip about when approached by those they know, while when strangers approach they try to hide in the water weeds.

Cotton Enthroned.

As a tribute to the made in America idea and also to boost our own products, the fashionable women of the East instituted the cotton ball at the beginning of the season. Finding how beautiful cotton could become when fashioned into frocks for evening wear, the fad has been perpetuated and cotton is becoming a craze. Even ball gowns have developed in cotton and in some instances fur as well as lace and strands of pearls have been lead to consort with this American fabric. The patriotic impulse is in a fair way to mark an epoch in garmenting and to revolutionize our clothing and that to the lasting advantage of our country and of ourselves.

Writ Large on Fashion's Pages.

A great many of the new corsets are being made of pink and white broche.

Indigo blue is a favorite color for street suits, trimmed with kolinski fur.

The fall challis are in soft, dark colors, with stripes or all-over flower patterns.

Blues like sapphire and cobalt are used as much for evening as for day wear.

Hudson seal coats increase in favor, and are often seen trimmed with fitch.

Odd little bunches of flowers are combined with ostrich feathers on black hats.

Narrow bands of flowers are frequently arranged on long skirts and tunics.

White waists will probably be more in favor this winter than black or any color.

The long coats with shoulder, capes recall the French soldiers' overcoat of 1870.

Sand, putty and light gray are among the very few light colors to be worn this winter.

Evening wraps are, beyond everything, voluminous and stately. A few have the Watteau back.

The soft folds of tulle and chiffon at present introduced on the bodices are wonderfully becoming

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY TALKS HEART TOPICS.

Wouldn't Have a Man About.

"He enter'd in his house—his home no more,
For without hearts there is no home—and felt
The solitude of passing his own door without a welcome."

Haven't you often heard good-looking widows and bachelor girls declare under no circumstances could they be induced to have a man about, so well do they enjoy single blessedness and free-footedness?

There's no one to give account of their actions, no one to boss them.

They don't have to tie themselves down to one man as an escort, but can change off until they come across the man most pleasing to them.

It's a rather hard edict for the young girls of their families to face. They are invariably young people who like plenty of beaux and consider an evening lonely if there's not a young man in the parlor. When the lassies are all married off, the widow and the bachelor business woman get their wish—no men appear. Then they find out how lonesome existence may be without the presence of the sterner sex.

They grow tired of entertaining women, whose interest in them is but half-hearted. It slowly dawns upon them, soon or late, that a man's companionship keeps women from growing old and strengthens their hold on life's pleasures. They begin to sigh, when they look around and see the contentment of those who have men's strong, helpful arms to lean upon.

No matter how many years have passed over a woman's head, there is always some particular man who will plead his cause so well that she will weaken in her decision about having a man around the house.

She realizes at last how dependent women are upon men. The lone woman has to choose places she can attend, with the greatest deliberation. The woman with a husband can go where she wills. The married women who have passed the fat, fair and forty stage are not jealous of her. It often happens that the woman who vows she wouldn't be bothered with a man about the house is destined to link her fate at last with a man whose business requires him to travel. She gets her wish sadly enough about not having him about the house. She is anxious as a bride for him return to her, realizing the truth in the words:

"There is noa' luck aboot th' hoose;
There is na' luk at a';
There is na luk abbot th' hoose
When our gude man's awa'."

MISS LIBBEY'S REPLIES TO YOUR LETTERS.

Correct name and address must be given to insure attention, not to print. Use ink. One side of paper only. Address Miss Libbey, No. 916 President street, Brooklyn, N. Y.

Love's Conductor of Trolley Car.

Dear Miss Libbey: For the last year I have taken the same car to and from my work. The conductor is a very handsome young man, with splendid large brown eyes. He always says "How do you do?" when he comes to collect my fare. If there is only one or two on the car he chats. For the last few days I have seen two other girls on the car to whom he pays as much attention as he does to me. I am downhearted over it. Should I speak to him about it?

GRACE.

I am obliged to write in plain language to you, Grace. You appear to be smitten with a young man who has shown you only the ordinary civility his position exacts of him. You have no claim upon him. He has never called on you, or shown himself interested, in any save a courteous, business way. These girls are possibly personal friends of his. If I were you, I would take another car home. If the young man desires to see you, he will look you up, depend upon it.

The Girl Across the Hall.

Dear Miss Libbey: I live in an apartment-house. Am a girl 22; have a nice beau who has been calling steady for the last few months. There is a girl, better looking than I, and younger, who lives across the hall. Eevery evening he calls, she runs out into the hall on some pretext. She runs down the steps, so he will have to wait for her to pass. She says: "Excuse me!" or, "I didn't see anyone coming up!" Again and again he asks who she is. He brought two tickets for me to go to the matinee recently. He remarked he he couldn't accompany me, but I could take the girl across the hall if I wanted to. She bangs on the piano all the time he is calling on me. If I am talking to him, he interrupts me, saying: "Oh, listen! that's a piece I like to hear." I am afraid she is getting him away from me. He is in a splendid business with his father; desirable in every way. I could never like any other man as much as I ... him. On account of all this, my ... ple and those across the hall ... speak. What course should I ... sue?

MATTIE.

When existence in an abode ... comes unpleasant it is wisest and ... to move to some other part of ... city, where one can have peace ... not be hectored. Remember, ... may fly one danger, to meet ... You will find pretty young ... wherever you go. Try and ... friends with them, it may be the ... policy.

Doesn't Like Bridge Parties.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am a ... six months, living with my ... people. I have a very popular ... in-law of about my age who is a ... ular card fiend. I do not know ... card from another, and am not ... vited anywhere, and feel out of ... when the parlor is filled with ... people playing cards. My ... says, "Learn to play, too," but to ... my life I cannot get interested. I ... up in my room and cry, I am so ... ly and homesick. What can I do?

MAY.

Why not take in a matinee on ... day of the card party? Make ... friends who think as you do. Don't let such a trifle spoil your ...

Parents Know What is Best.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am a girl ... 16, in love with a young man of ... I love him very much, but my parents do not like him. Please give me advice.

"ANXIOUS."

Sixteen is a romantic age, and ... that does not often know its ... mind. Those you choose at ... would not suit later on. Parents wisely know what is best, remember.

Let the Man do the Courting.

Dear Miss Libbey: I am 24 ... of age. There is a real nice ... man in our neighboring town ... am stuck on. I like him. He ... clothing store. We do most of ... shopping there. He treats me ... nice when I am in his store. ... can I do to get his company and ... get his correspondence? Would ... be proper for me to write first?

M. ...

The young man, no doubt, is ... and treats you well, as you trade ... his store. Still, there is a ... distance required, an appeal ... him to you before you could think ... corresponding, or go in his company. I don't suppose you know whether ... has a sweetheart or is married. ... day he may make it known, ... lowed to decide about his ...

LAURA JEAN LIBBEY.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for Chris Arkils, ... Atchley, George H. Bourdon, ... Eaton, A. Goetz, Marie Griffith, ... ert F. Harper, Lem H. Hill, T. ... House, M. A. Leach, Roy Miller, ... G. F. Muir, Ora McConnell, Mrs. ... E. Payne, Dora Pelletteer and ... liam Simons; at the Postal: W. ... Noble, Edmund Burke, Mme. ... A. Carver, H. P. Garin Product Company, R. T. Lindsay, Mrs. Selma ... and W. W. Young.

FIGHT IN CLUB.

In a fight at the rooms ... Southern California Waiters' ... tion, No. 546½ South Spring ... Homer Evans, manager of the ... was injured early yesterday. ... Buchanan, a member, was ... shortly afterward. The case will ... taken to the Police Court.

Theatres—Amusements—Entertainments

MASON OPERA HOUSE— TONIGHT— MATINEE SATURDAY —LAST WEEK.
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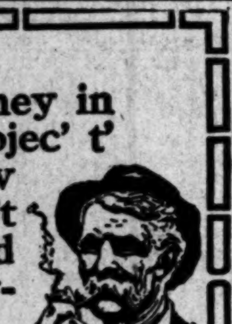

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WALTER SIGNS WITH FEDERALS.

Washington Pitcher Goes to Chicago.

Clark Griffith Threatens to Fight.

Ban Johnson Says Walter's a Dead One.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—That Walter Johnson, premier pitcher of the American League, has signed a contract with the Chicago Federal League club, was the announcement made by Charles Weeghman, president of the local club, late today.

Weeghman said he received word that Johnson had signed a Federal League contract, in a long distance telephone message from Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago club, who had been in conference with Johnson all day at Johnson's home in Coffeyville, Kan.

The contract was reported to be for two years. The amount of his salary was not announced.

JOHNSON ADMITS HE HAS JUMPED.

REFUSES TO STATE WHAT HIS SALARY IS TO BE—TOOK BEST OFFER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 3.—Walter Johnson over the telephone from his Kansas farm, confirmed late today the statement of President Weeghman of the Chicago Federals that he had been signed by the Chicago club for two years, but he refused to say what his salary would be.

"Is it more than $16,000 a year?" he was asked.

"It is," said the pitcher—then found himself telling, and announced that the figure would be properly announced by Mr. Weeghman.

"I had a long conference with Manager Tinker," continued Johnson. He made me a very interesting offer—quite the best I have ever yet received—and I took him up. That'll be all. I'm ready to report for Chicago whenever they want me."

Immediately after their conference Mr. Tinker took a train for Chicago and Johnson motored back to his farm.

HOW WALTER WAS GRABBED.

INSIDE STORY OF THE DEAL WHEREBY WALTER GETS $20,000 PER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 3.—Twenty thousand dollars a year is the salary called for in Walter Johnson's two-year contract with the Chicago club of the Federal League, according to the story of the deal given out by Phil Ball, vice-president of the St. Louis Federal League club, here tonight.

"The St. Louis Federal League club engineered the deal whereby Chicago got Johnson's signature," declared a local baseball magnate, who would not permit the use of his name. "Our price for obtaining Johnson for Chicago was Eddie Plank."

The negotiations whereby Johnson was obtained by the Federals, as told by the St. Louis club's official, follows:

"St. Louis first bid for Johnson. A stockholder in the local club and Fielder Jones, manager, met Johnson at Fort Smith, Ark., and offered him $20,000 a year for three years, the money to be put in a bank and $10,000 of it to be given to Johnson as soon as he signed. Johnson agreed to the terms, but wanted to delay signing.

"Meanwhile Johnson began negotiating with Manager Griffith of the Washington club, with the view of obtaining a better offer than the Federals'. This Griffith denied. A rule of the Federal League prevented any other club bidding for Johnson after St. Louis had begun to do so.

"Then President Gilmore expressed a desire to obtain Johnson for Chicago, and St. Louis agreed to help in the deal on the promise that St. Louis would get the next big pitcher which the Federal League could take from the Nationals or Americans. Plank was that pitcher."

The same official announced that a "war fund" of $400,000, not $100,000, as recently reported from New York, had been raised by the Federal League and that more deals of the Johnson-Plank variety would be consummated.

FEDS PURSUE CHIEF BENDER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Charles A. Bender, another of Connie Mack's stars of the Philadelphia Athletics, may join his team-mate, Eddie Plank, in his jump to the Federal League. President James A. Gilmore is on the trail of the Indian, and will make him a handsome offer.

"Bender's record last year stamps him as one of the leading pitchers of the country," said President Gilmore. "The fact that he is only 31 years of age and has been one of the mainstays of the champions of the American League for several years proves his ability. Connie Mack must have been completely off his balance when he asked for waivers on Plank and Bender, and the Federal League will give a contract for three years at a salary in excess of that he obtained from the Philadelphia club."

MORE 'N $16,000, SAYS TINKER.

JOE SAYS BIG PITCHER WILL BE SEEN IN FEDERAL UNIFORM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

COFFEYVILLE (Kan.) Dec. 3.—"The mighty Johnson will be seen in a Federal League uniform for the next two years," said Joe Tinker, manager of the Chicago Federals, as he boarded a train for Chicago late tonight. Tinker carried with him a contract to which Walter Johnson, former pitcher of the Washington American League team, had attached his signature after a day of negotiations here.

"The price paid?" continued Tinker as he smiled broadly. "Well, no matter, you can say he will make more money than anybody."

"Will it be more than $16,000?" a questioner persisted.

"Will it? That isn't anything."

Tinker arrived here this morning. Johnson motored in from his farm and the two went into conference. After a long-distance telephone talk in the afternoon between Tinker and President Weeghman in Chicago, Tinker and Johnson quickly came to terms.

JOHNSON CASE GOES TO COURTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 3.—Walter Johnson will not go to the Federal League without a fight in the courts with the Washington American League team, of which he has been the hope and mainstay for seven years. Manager Clark Griffith, learning tonight without great surprise, but with frankly admitted regret, of the famous pitcher's deal with the Chicago Federals, declared he had an option on Johnson's services for another year and would "sue him to the end of the earth" before he would allow it to be broken.

"There was a provision in the 1914 contract," said Griffith, "whereby I obtained an option on Johnson's services for the 1915 season. Twenty-five hundred dollars of the $12,000 salary which he has received was given for the specific purpose of reserving an option in 1915 upon Johnson. I am convinced that he has violated the agreement."

Speculation as to what effect Johnson's action would have upon other players of the Washington team was rife here tonight. It has been rumored that Clyde Milan, center fielder, and Johnson's closest friend, might go to the Federal camp.

GEORGE STONE TO COME BACK.

If George Stone, former American League batting star, and now a banker at Coleridge, Neb., really wants to get back into the game as he says he doubtless can find a number of players, umpires and even magnates who will trade their jobs for a bank.

Appetites.

SPINACH FOR THE FAT GUYS.

Loaded Tables. Crowd Grub into Leans.

Training Tables Started L.A.A.C.

Interesting Innovation by Al Treloar.

If nobody but persons of attenuated anatomy were allowed to vote for Mayor of Rowansburg, Al Treloar would be unanimously elected to that honored office.

Al has started something at the Los Angeles Athletic Club which promises to perpetuate his fame among future generations of thin people and make his name a thing of horror to all persons afflicted with a suberabundance of adipose tissue.

It is a fact worthy of note that in the club membership are to be found many men whose amplitude is such that about the only thing they can buy ready made is a pocket handkerchief, while on the other hand, there is an equally large quantity of gents whose displacement is considerably less than their altitude would warrant.

When Treloar announced that he was going to conduct a training table at the club at which fat men could consume that which would lend to their figures that air of svelte slimness so much to be desired in these fox trotty days, and at which the lean parties could build up their spare figures to that athletic stanchness made desirable by the present "shoe-horn" male fashions, the idea became at once popular.

Indeed, the idea spread with such alarming rapidity in popular favor that Treloar was forced to arrange for two tables, one for the leans, the other for the more comfortably-built parties.

But now comes the sad part, for the heavyweights.

When Treloar announced his magnificent scheme for the standardization of the L.A.A.C. figure he neglected to announce the menu which would be spread before the eager eyes of the would-be Apollos.

Now it appears that the large gentlemen are to be fed somewhat after the manner of cows. At least, it so appears to them. Spinach, cabbage, lettuce and other luscious green vegetables which afford much exercise for the superior and inferior maxillaries and little satisfaction to the stomach, are to form a staple diet for the heavies.

On the other hand the "leans" are to have their table loaded with juicy steaks, all kinds of appetizing viands, and lots to drink.

It is expected that Al Treloar himself will have to stand guard with a couple of cops over the "leans'" table in order to preserve it from a raid by the famine impoverished "fats."

In order to reduce the mental anguish of the fats, Mr. Treloar has designed a special set of dishes which makes the meagerness of the menu less apparent. The plates and side dishes are all very thick and look as though they held much more than their actual cargo. So when the luncheon comes on the fats do not at once realize the sum total of their woes.

As a matter of fact, this new training table is a remarkable departure in physical training. Mr. Treloar is one of the best posted men in the United States on the subjects of diet and of weight control.

For many years college athletes have had the benefit of training tables, where their diet could be scientifically controlled, but this is the first attempt to extend that system to an athletic club and to mature business men.

PITCHING STARS REAL VETERANS.

MATTY AND PLANK HAVE BEEN CAUGHT BY OLD TIMERS.

You can get a good idea of how long Plank and Matty have been at it by casting an eye over catchers they have had. Jack Warner, Frank Bowerman, Roger Bresnahan, Chief Meyers and Larry McLean are among those who have handled the delivery of Mathewson, while Plank has been handled by Powers, Lapp, Shreck, Thomas and Schang among other backstops.

Round Two.

WELSH-MANDOT MATCH TO BE TWENTY ROUNDS

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—It became known here today that Dominick Tortorich, the New Orleans promoter, had signed Freddie Welsh and Joe Mandot for a twenty-round battle. Welsh has been guaranteed $12,000.

The match was closed in Buffalo two weeks ago, but it was decided to withhold the announcement until after the Mandot-Kilbane fight in Akron, O., next Monday. All the details have been agreed to except the date, which will be announced later. Local fight experts say Mandot will beat Welsh. They assert that the Welshman has been going back of late, and the first tough boy to meet him in twenty rounds will beat him.

New Ideal.

FRANK DILLON'S CAN DANGLED BY STEPHENS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—That Frank Dillon will not be retained by the new owners of the Angels, a position he has held for many years, was the intimation given tonight by Tom Stephens, who now holds the controlling interest in the club. Thomas J. Darmody, the new president of the Los Angeles club, departed for the south tonight, and Stephens will follow on Sunday. The pair will talk over the affairs of their new holdings on Monday and a decision will be reached as to the man who will succeed Dillon.

"We will decide on a playing manager as early as possible," declared Stephens. "Maybe Henry Berry wants Dillon to come here to take charge of the Seals."

Those who pretend to know say it is evident Dillon is not being counted on by his new bosses, who are trying to place him in San Francisco as Del Howard's successor.

New Material.

FRESHMEN WIN L. A. HIGH SCHOOL'S CROSS-COUNTRY.

THE rising generation at Los Angeles High asserted themselves in no uncertain fashion yesterday when they carried off the honors in the cross-country run by a fine margin.

A shock-headed youth named Arthur came staggering across the line in first place, closely followed by a little chap named Lincoln, both of them members of the ninth-grade team. Third was Max Gold and fourth place went to P. Walker. Both of these boys are sophomores.

Then followed in close order Hamlin, 12; Floyd, 9; Bischoff, 11; Shattuck, 9; Hedrick, 12; Simpson, 11; Jackson, 9; Patton, 11; Briggs, 11; Gerwitz, 9; Dychas, 10; Nakamura, 10; Connor, 9, and Sherer, 12.

The course was from a line in front of the High School out across Sunset boulevard and up the hill opposite Fort Moore. There the runners were checked off and given numbers by officials Zuber, Brower, Bailiff and Hutchinson, who deserve honorable mention for walking that far for nothing.

The return was over the same course and finish in front of the High School. Aside from a little difficulty experienced by Vice-Principal Oliver in mastering the starting gun, the race was featured alone by perspiration, although the time of 15m. 20s. for the hard two and one-half mile course was excellent.

The Silverwood cup was won by the freshman class with a total of 17 points, the sophomores second, with 38, the juniors were third with 42, the seniors fourth with 62.

JOHNSON STAR WITH SENATORS.

HAS BEEN PROP OF SENATORS SINCE HE WAS A YAP FROM COUNTRY.

Johnson has been the star and prop of the Washington team almost ever since he began his major-league career here in 1908. Beginning as an awkward country youth, his wonderful ability quickly developed and by the end of his fourth season he was hailed by many critics as the greatest of all pitchers. For five years he struggled along, pitching remarkable ball for a losing team, a hopeless tailender.

When Clark Griffith took hold of the team in 1912 and turned it into a winner, Johnson came into his own and started to smash records for games won, scoreless innings and strike-outs, etc. The strengthened team became a pennant contender, jumping from the bottom to second place the first year. It finished second again in 1913, and third this year.

Johnson's record for the seven years which he has pitched for Washington follows:

Year—	Won.	Lost.	P.c.
1908	14	14	.500
1909	13	25	.342
1910	25	17	.595
1911	23	15	.605
1912	32	12	.727
1913	36	7	.837
1914	28	18	.609

Johnson started his professional career with the Tacoma club in 1905. He was drafted by the Weiser (Idaho) club and played with that team until secured by Washington.

In 1913 he eclipsed the shut-out record held by Jack Coombs of the Philadelphia Athletic club by pitching fifty-six innings without being scored upon. In forty-seven games in 1913 Johnson permitted his opponents to cross the plate for an average of only 1.09 runs per game, attaining the pitchers' record for the season. He pitched 346 innings, faced 1242 batsmen, allowed 230 hits, 54 runs and struck out 243 batters. His passes numbered only eighty-three. This was his most successful year.

DAMAGED GOODS, SAYS MAGNATE.

BAN JOHNSON'S DIET OF SOUR GRAPES CLAIMS WALTER A DEAD ONE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—"Damaged goods," said B. B. Johnson, president of the American League, as soon as he heard that Walter Johnson had jumped. "Johnson was already on the market, and he would not have started the season with the Washington club in the spring. He became a dead one down there the minute he announced in the middle of last season that he would go where the most money was offered, and that after the Washington fans had given him loving cups full of coin, an automobile and many other favors. Gratitude? Well, his latest action looks like it!

"No man was treated better than Johnson by the Washington club. He was offered $48,000 for three years, or $16,000 a year, by Clark Griffith. This was more than he was worth, but we wanted to show that there was nothing niggardly with us. Even had Washington signed him, the chances were strong that he would have been traded, and there was already a deal on. I am glad the Federals signed him. They will have a fine chance to make good on the deal, basing their income on what they drew last year.

"Supposing, for instance, that the St. Louis Federals had signed him for $20,000 a year. Figuring on what they took in last year, they wouldn't have enough left for cigar money after they got through paying him. The fans of St. Louis during the season just closed paid a little over $22,000 at the gate. And then the Feds talk about $20,000 salaries. I hope they continue to sign these $20,000 players. They will be through the quicker."

Walrus hunting—some sport.

Below is a giant walrus, weighing over a ton, lying on his back waiting to be cut up by the natives. Above, to the right, the natives are dragging the carcass up on the beach. At the left, the members of the crew of the U.S.R.C. Bear are playing with the two Eskimo children saved from the wreck of the Karluk. These photographs are all enlargements from films taken by E. Swift Train, who is shown in the upper left with his camera, looking at the babies.

Br-r-rr-h!

ARCTIC HUNTING WITH MOVIE CAMERA EXCITING.

Butted into Ocean by Ferocious Duck—Bears Victims of Feminine Trait, Curiosity—Find Rare Specimens. Swift Train's Swift Tale—Cold Facts and Naked Truths.

BY WILLIAM M. HENRY.

HUNTING the wary walrus with a "movie" camera gives all the delightful sensations of tickling the business end of a mule with a straw, according to E. Swift Train, a large, genial sport, who has just returned from an eight months' tour of the Arctic regions.

"Anybody who craves excitement, adventure and hunting of all kinds can make the trip up north of the Arctic Circle and there he will have his appetite satiated with little trouble," grinned Train out at the Selig Studio yesterday.

HUNTING CLOCK ROUND.

"Out on the ice floes he can hunt the sleek seal, the ponderous walrus and the inquisitive polar bear. On the land he can shoot the white, blue, red and silver fox, the wolverine and the caribou; on the ocean he can catch salmon of all kinds, in all varieties and at night, sleeping in the Eskimo igloo, he can battle bugs of all kinds from the time he crawls in bed till he gets up in the morning."

E. Swift Train does not give the same impression that his name would convey. A big, smiling, happy-go-lucky sort of individual, he looks the part of a young man, who would enjoy every minute of his thrilling trip without getting hurried or excited.

"The only way I know of to make this trip is to do what I did," said Train yesterday. "The Federal Film Company of San Francisco secured me a passage on the United States Revenue Cutter 'Bear' which every year makes a tour of the northern waters in Alaska.

NOVEL CHASE.

"The first thing exciting that we came across was a walrus hunt. This is an interesting experience for a white man, as very few are able to take part in one. The animals are protected, no one but the natives being allowed to bring the carcasses to the United States, and the importation of their tusks is subject to a very high duty.

"The natives search for the animals in boats called oomiaks, made out of walrus hide and about forty feet long. The animals are found asleep on the ice floes, basking in the sun and the quiet and expert paddling by the natives enables the hunter in the bow of the boat to approach easily within striking distance.

"The walrus is an easy mark on land; its bulk of a ton or over is unwieldy, and the hunter, if an expert shot, can kill them by the dozen. Should one of the beasts make for the water, the huntsman harpoons him, as otherwise he would escape.

DANGEROUS BEAST.

"A wounded and enraged walrus in the water is an awe-inspiring sight. Unwieldy on land, he shoots like a torpedo through the water and unless stopped, lifts his head high out of the water and crushes the boat like an eggshell with on mighty blow of his tusks.

"The biggest problem of the natives comes after the walrus is dead. Of course, if he dies on the ice floe he is cut up and carried off, but often the wounded beast gets to the water before he is killed. Inasmuch as he will float only a few seconds after death, it requires considerable speed and ingenuity to get him to shore.

SUBMARINE TOWING.

"The natives pass a piece of hide rope around the carcass and fasten one end of the rope to each side of the boat, so that the body is suspended some twenty or thirty feet below the surface. Then the body has to be towed in this manner all the way to shore, often miles away, and there drawn up on the beach by the whole tribe of natives.

"To approach the walrus on the ice is a difficult matter. The footing is naturally slippery and the natives use a shoe called a mukluk, which is made of Ugurouk hide, the latter being the giant bearded seal. This is used for the sole of the boot and is crimped by the Eskimo women with their teeth. The top of the boot is made of reindeer skin and combines comfort with a sure footing on the ice.

"The walrus are slaughtered by the Norwegians. Two boats were in the Arctic at the same time as the Bear and one of them had 1800 hides and the other 3000 and over."

The natives in the northern part of Alaska spend most of their time hunting and fishing, and the rest of the time fighting off their sled dogs.

DOG'S LIFE.

"Those Eskimo dogs are regular devils," said Train. "They sneak up behind you and nip at your legs, and if you once fall down you are lucky if you get up alive. Hundreds of native babies are torn to pieces by these wild dogs, which pounce on them when they fall down.

WITH SCIENTISTS.

"We had with us on the trip two eminent scientists, Lord Percy, son of the Duke of Northumberland, and F. Seymour Hersey, of the Smithsonian Institution. The former is one of the greatest authorities in the world on the subject of ducks and had in his collection a specimen of every known species, with the exception of the Pacific Coast elder duck, Stellar's elder duck and the spectacled elder duck.

"The latter bird is nearly extinct, and only two specimens were known to be in existence before our trip. We left Lord Percy on Lutkie Island in St. Laurence Bay, off the coast of Siberia, and on returning for him thirty-three days later found that he had secured five of the birds.

MUCH GAME.

"The number of animals to be hunted in the Arctic Circle can hardly be imagined. The white, blue, red and silver foxes are usually trapped. The wolverine is the fiercest animal up there. He is about the size of a wolf, but has tremendous legs and paws, and he will attack anything without the slightest provocation.

"The polar bear is easy to get, providing you can find him. He is the most curious animal alive. Having never seen a man, he will come running toward you to investigate, and sometimes comes within fifty or sixty feet. Then he will scamper away at a terrific rate. The idea is to shoot him before he gets started running away.

FISH PLENTIFUL.

"Fishing is unlimited. One day we wanted some fish to feed the crew, and seined for salmon. We dragged our net up on the beach and had over five tons of fish of four different varieties, the hump-backed dog salmon, silver salmon and king salmon being among them."

Train's most exciting experience came off Emma Harbor in Siberia last June. Two of the officers of the ship started duck hunting with him in a small canoe. He was landed on an iceberg a mile and a half from the ship. They shot one duck, a female Pacific elder, and the two officers started to get the carcass, which had fallen in the water about 400 yards from the ice floe.

DUCKING EXTRAORDINARY.

In the meanwhile the male duck was flying above them, and as they approached the carcass the male swooped down on them. One of the officers fired at him, but was on the side of the boat, and with the discharge of the rifle the canoe upset, throwing both men in their heavy furs into the water, upon which a film of ice was forming.

Luckily both had life preservers and started swimming for the ice floe, while Train yelled himself blue in the face trying to attract the attention of the Bear. When the two swimmers got about 200 yards from the floe the cold water and the heavy garments proved too much for them, and they yelled for Train to come to their assistance.

"Can you imagine my feelings?" said Train, shivering reminiscently. "Here I was on an iceberg, a mile and a half from the ship, and I had to go after those two half-frozen fellows out there. I knew that we would need dry clothes if we ever got out, so I stripped off every stitch of clothes and dived in.

KEPT BOOTS.

"Honest, I thought I was dead when I got to the top. It was only 200 yards out to those two fellows, but I'll bet it was ten miles coming back with them. Somehow or other we managed to reach the floe, and there we waited for forty minutes until the crew of the Bear came for us.

"We had to divide up my clothes to keep from freezing, and I must have looked fine with nothing on but a pair of high boots and an undershirt. I was three days getting over it, and the other two fellows weren't around for more than a week. Never again!

"While in Siberia Lord Percy heard of the outbreak of the war and left us. He had six months' growth of lovely red whiskers on his face, and I got a fine film of him packing his clothes on deck. If he ever gets through the war alive and sees the film I'm afraid for my life."

While cruising around in the north the Bear picked up the survivors of Stefansson's ill-fated Karluk expedition, only eleven of the twenty-three original crew being alive, among them two fat little Eskimo children. This cut the trip short one month, as the survivors were landed at Nome.

Train arrived in Los Angeles about two weeks ago to sort out the nearly four miles of film he secured. He expects to be busy out at the Selig studio until the first of the year, getting his stuff clipped, after which it will be shown at the Panama-Pacific Exposition.

Preps' Chance.

OCCIDENTAL FOOTBALL CARNIVAL TOMORROW.

OCCIDENTAL COLLEGE will hold its annual football carnival for high school Rugby and American game athletes at the old Occidental field tomorrow. It will be an all-day affair, beginning at 10 o'clock in the morning. The Tiger freshmen and sophomores will bring the carnival to an end with their annual class football game.

The events on the programme are place kicking, drop kicking, punting for distance, forward passing, seventy-five-yard dash for Rugby players, another for American players, and American team play. Rugby team play has been dropped from the programme. The place and drop kicking and the forward-passing events will be held in the morning. Manager Kirkpatrick will provide a noon lunch for those competing.

High schools all over the south will enter their football athletes. Poly, L. A., Manual, Hollywood and Lincoln of the city will enter teams. Manual is entering twenty men. Most of the county high schools, including Santa Ana, Long Beach, Pasadena, Whittier State and Inglewood will send their stars. San Diego is sending up its best men.

Gold medals will go to those winning first places, while those placing second and third will get ribbons.

"The carnival," explained Coach Pipal, "is to stimulate football among the high schools, to bring the various athletes playing both brands of football together, and to develop the fine points of the games. It is helping to make drop kickers, place kickers, punters and forward-pass throwers. We believe it is doing its share in the rapid development of football among the high schools."

There is not another carnival just like it in America. Yale and Harvard have carnivals along the same line, but they are limited to their own students. Their purpose is to develop football among their own athletes. The Occidental carnival is to develop and encourage football among the preps.

More than 200 prep athletes were the Tiger guests last year, and as large a number is expected this year. Like the Occidental relays it has come to play an important part in southern athletics in three years' time.

Jinx Named.

PENNSYLVANIA PLAYERS FIRE FOOTBALL COACH.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—Dissatisfaction with the coaching of the University of Pennsylvania football team, about which there have been whisperings during the season just closed, found practical expression today when nineteen of the twenty-one varsity players who met to elect a new captain voted against the retention of George H. Brooke as the coach for the 1915 campaign. The vote was a secret one and was taken after Edward Day Parris of Philadelphia had been elected captain for next year.

Brooke has had complete charge of the team for two years, and his contract with the Athletic Association has another year to run. When he was informed of the actions of the players Brooke intimated that he would not resign his position, and that he expected to make a better showing next year.

The players who voted against the retention of Brooke, it is declared, blame his system of coaching for the failure of the team to make a better showing during the last two years.

What King?

BURMAN CLAIMS FIRST RIGHT TO RACE OLDFIELD.

BOB BURMAN, driver of the Peugeot, and for many years the strongest contender of Barney Oldfield for the circular dirt track championship of the world, and who is now in Los Angeles, takes exception to the proposed plans for a match race between Earl Cooper and Oldfield.

Burman says that he is the logical claimant for the champion's crown, instead of Cooper, and cites the fact that while Cooper was awarded the road race honors in 1913, he was never seriously considered as a dirt track competitor.

"I am willing to meet Oldfield over any distance and under any conditions that he may name, and I have asked Frank Lowry to look out for my interests," said Burman last night. "According to the official American Automobile Association records, I am the holder of several records on one-mile tracks, and of course, I think I am the master of Oldfield at this game. I sincerely hope that the match will be arranged, and then Cooper can, if he chooses, meet the winner."

Burman has a host of followers here, many of whom have watched him in the East during his track and speedway competitions, and he will not lack supporters if the plans for the race are consummated.

WICHITA CLUB STONE BROKE.

ALL THE MONEY RAISED WENT TO PAY OFF CLUBS OLD DEBTS.

In resigning as president of the Wichita Club, Dan Breese gave out a statement for publication in which he said he had asked for $4000 to strengthen the team when he took the presidency last season, but that instead he only had $100. He declared that $20,000 was raised, but that more than $16,000 was used to pay off old debts and that most the rest went for work at the ball park and incidentals. He said he blamed no one for it and that he only intended to be president one season, anyway.

JUNIOR COLLEGE BASKET LEAGUE.

The Los Angeles High junior college has a basketball team and proposes to form a league with the junior college teams of Polytechnic and Hollywood high schools and Santa Ana and Fullerton highs.

The L. A. team has several good men enrolled and should be able to give a good account of itself. Blanchard was center on the High School team a couple of years ago and Beach played for the Occidental outlaws last year. Levy Kettle and Kutzman are other brilliant prospects.

Hang On.

ENGLISH RUGBY NOT TO STOP.

INTERNATIONAL GAMES TO BE ABANDONED.

Football Delegates from Four Nations of Great Britain Recommend Cessation of Contests for Season. Claim that Games do not Hinder Recruiting.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Delegates of the English, Scottish, Welsh and Irish professional football associations at a meeting in London today decided to recommend to their respective associations that international football matches this season be abandoned. This decision was reached by the delegates after a prolonged conference. At the conclusion of the meeting the following statement was given out:

"There is no evidence that the playing of football has hindered or is hindering recruiting. On the contrary, there is good reason to conclude that football has encouraged and has assisted recruiting. In these circumstances this meeting recommends that except as regards international matches, it is not right that football should be suspended.

"This meeting is of the opinion that to deprive the working people of our country of their Saturday's afternoon recreation would be unfair, and very mischievous."

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November	10		57,440
November	11		57,410
November	12		57,520
November	13		57,490
November	14		57,810
November	15	(Sunday)	96,000
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November	17		57,760
November	18		57,280
November	19		58,340
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Going Ahead.

HOGAN IS ROUNDING UP TALENT FOR THE TIGERS.

Has Made Offers for Two American Association Players—Possibility that Hi West May Play Here—Hap Doesn't Allow Sacramento Prospects to Interfere with His Job Here.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

HAP HOGAN refuses to let that Sacramento thing worry him even a little bit.

In the face of the possibility of being sentenced to that city, he remains as calm and collected, and is going on fixing up the Tigers for next season with the confident air of a man who is not threatened with a crisis or calamity.

He announced yesterday, without the slightest show of excitement, that he would send out the Tiger contracts for 1915 next month, which is January, and said he anticipated no trouble whatsoever, in enticing all of last year's athletes back into the fold.

Hap even went so far as to express confidence that Babe Borton would be on the job. As the Federals have announced something like a dozen times that they have signed him and his own testimony is to the same effect, Hap certainly must be rated as one grand little optimist.

Of course, with the White Sox to sign men, having promised to ship him several crates of perfectly good [illegible] next season, Hogan's refusal to worry is easy to understand.

Several times of late Hogan has been seen engaged in earnest conversation with Hi West, who has the distinction of being threatened with the "ax" by Walter McCredie. Walt says that he will ask for waivers on West and several other good ball players. To tear the spine right out of his team each year, and build up a team from the remnants, is getting to be a regular fad with Walter.

Naturally, these frequent conversations between Hap and Hi are going to make people talk, and may yet give rise to the report that Hi will wear the Tiger vestments next season. Hi [illegible] a perfect willingness to play in the south.

[illegible] Eastern Players.

Other persons with whom Hogan has dickered, but with no show of success up to the present writing, are Johnny Hughes and Tom Downey, well-known members of the American Association.

Hughes is a crack catcher with the Milwaukee club. In fact, he is the slickest backstop owned by that famous city, despite eight years of service. Jim Murray, the ump, says that he is the best man in the association when it comes to fielding bunts, as well as one of the smartest, and most accurate throwers.

Downey is a Kansas City athlete, whose natural position seems to be second base, judging by his past actions. Hogan has made Bill Armour an offer for Downey's services, but it was not received with great enthusiasm.

As things now stand, with the Feds raising particular Hades, it is next to impossible for the Coast League managers to do any actual constructive work for the 1915 campaign. Had peace been declared, the Coasters could have drawn a wealth of talent from the majors, but with the situation again gummed up, they will encounter the same difficulties that confronted them last season.

The Coasters have gone on record that they will not enter into competition with the Feds for the services of any player. They will lose a few, but not many men, as the Feds are after "reputations," and there are few men on the Coast who would prove big cards in the East.

[illegible] Move by Feds.

Speaking of "reputations," the Feds certainly helped themselves to a large hunk of that valuable commodity when they signed Walter Johnson. Likewise when they signed Plank. But the "Gettysburg Gatling" is nearing the twilight of his illustrious career. In addition to the "rep" that he lugs around with him, Johnson has at least [illegible] years of effectiveness in front of him.

Doubtless, the inside story of the signing of Johnson will make interesting reading.

Washington offered Johnson $45,000 for three years' work. He asked time to consider.

The Feds raised this bid to $60,000. Again Walt demurred.

And while he was considering and conferring, each side withdrew its offer, having reached the conclusion that they were being worked by the wily Walter.

Both sides, it was said, had agreed to let Johnson strictly alone, and it looked like a bleak winter for Walter. Then came the violent shattering of these peace dreams, and the Feds returned to the siege of Johnson.

[illegible] Everybody Guessing.

The most puzzling part of the situation is the sudden silence of the major leagues. Apparently they are making no effort to block the Feds. The latter seem to be having their own sweet way at every turn. Possibly the majors figure that no league can hope to stand up under the weight of such a financial burden as the Feds are shouldering, and that the best way to beat them is to give them unlimited rope. The silence of organized baseball under these conditions is ominous.

Again, it may be that the Federals have no intention of going beyond their depth, but hope to terminate the war by a few bold and sensational moves that will force the majors to make peace.

Olson in Rebellion.

Ivan Olson is home again, bringing with him one of the best little peeves seen here in a long time.

Olson is all wrought up over being swapped to Cincinnati by Cleveland. That anybody should kick on being sold to Cincinnati, after the way things went in Cleveland last year, certainly speaks bad for Cincy.

Possibly it is the principle of the thing that gets Olson's goat. To be abruptly relegated to the Reds, without being consulted in the matter, certainly was a shabby reward for the conscientious work that Olson did for the Cleveland club.

Club politics are generally admitted to have been back of the move. When Olson went from Portland to Cleveland he was made captain of the club. Birmingham, so the story runs, thought that he was the gent for the place, and found it easy to engender a dislike for the Swede. When Birmingham became manager, he, of course, had the upper hand, and getting rid of Olson only was the question of a favorable opportunity. At least, that is the Cleveland version of the affair. One Cleveland scribe bluntly declares that had the rest of the players given the club the same loyal service as Olson, it would have finished in the first division.

Olson admits receiving an offer from the Feds, and makes it clear that he will seize the same, unless the Cincinnati people make it worth his while to reject it.

Red Held, he of the sassafras face filigree, is going to pass the winter in Los Angeles. It has been a lifelong habit with Held to winter in St. Louis, and this will be the first time that he has not hung his Christmas sock in front of the family fireplace. No longer will Red be a matinee idol.

He recently became a married man. As Mrs. Held is a native daughter, his greatest interests are naturally on the Coast. Side trips to beach and mountain resorts in Southern California will occupy the time of the Held family from now until spring. The reduction of Coast League umpires to three is not likely to hit Held.

Darmody is No Novice.

Tom Darmody, brand new owner and president of the Los Angeles club, despite fears to the contrary, is no green hand in the matter of baseball.

An old player himself, he has been identified with the game in one way and another for years, and knows the sport from every angle. There are few men on the Coast better known in eastern baseball circles than Darmody, and there is at least one big league manager who is guided absolutely by his tips regarding young players on the Coast.

Darmody is a lifelong acquaintance of Garry Herrmann and Frank Bancroft of the Cincinnati Reds, and it would not be surprising should he arrange to get a number of players from that club.

"Los Angeles is to be felicitated on getting a baseball man of Darmody's caliber in charge of its club, now that it is certain Berry is to transfer his interests to San Francisco," declared Bancroft while here recently. "He is a thorough baseball man in every sense of the word."

Trouble.

DARTMOUTH IS AFTER HARVARD

Two Best Teams Didn't Get Together.

Green Team had a Chance to Beat Crimson.

Cavanaugh has Made Name as a Coach.

The two best varsity football elevens in the East have not met this fall.

From a football standpoint this is a misfortune, but it is practically out of the question to look for a Harvard-Dartmouth game this season. The teams have finished their hard schedules.

It is almost out of the question to talk of a Harvard-Dartmouth game for next year. There is no apparent chance. If next year's general football schedule brings anything large and new it may be because of a Yale-Dartmouth game. That is a possibility.

Dartmouth would like to get right into the middle of the big ring and would gladly play Yale in New Haven, inasmuch as there is no disposition at Cambridge to put the Green back on the Crimson's slate. The present big game scheduled for the new bowl in 1915 is the Yale-Princeton game.

Harvard will have the Yale game at Cambridge and Princeton will have its Harvard game in Princeton. Dartmouth will play at Princeton October 23, and it wants to add another of thre big elevens to its list.

Yale and Dartmouth have not met in a football game for several years, not since Dartmouth has come to the front in football. A contest between the two in the new bowl would probably help to fill the seats in the mammoth structure more than any other game on the Yale schedule, with the single exception of the Princeton match, and this fact tends to strengthen the notion that the New Hampshire men will be booked. Dartmouth will play Pennsylvania in Boston November 6, the same day that Harvard will play Princeton, so that if Yale is to play Dartmouth the game must come in October, probably on the last Saturday. But nothing has definitely been done so far regarding the discussed game.

Dartmouth's position in the football world is unfortunate in that it has no stadium or bowl. It cannot play a home big game for the reason that it could not seat even a fraction of what today is considered a football crowd. This is not only a financial setback, but one that works as a great handicap to the coach, who must develop a team always to play its big rivals away from home.

Harvard's only game away from Cambridge this year was that one in the Yale bowl. Harvard, Yale and Princeton will only play one game away a season. And it is well in considering the work done by the New Hampshire men this fall at remember that all three of their big games, with Princeton, Pennsylvania and Syracuse, were played outside of Hanover.

How well the coach succeeded against such a disagreeable circumstance, football readers know. Dartmouth lost but one game, and that to Princeton, which it outplayed at every corner, but had the ill-luck to be outscored by an opponent which everybody considered a much weaker one.

Dartmouth's total scoring of 359 points against 25 for the other fellows certainly showed something. Frank Cavanaugh's contract as head coach of the Dartmouth team expired this year, but he will undoubtedly be signed up again. Cavanaugh is to Dartmouth what Haughton is to Harvard.

Artie McQueen, who has been trainer for Jimmy Clabby, the pugilist, has received an offer to instruct the Australians in baseball playing.

Target Work.

ENGLISH RIFLEMEN ARE BEATEN BY LOCAL CLUB.

LOS ANGELES Rifle and Revolver Club, 663; Rifle Clubs Federation of England, 423.

A fine rifle shot can do a lot of things, but the best shot in the world can't beat a high, cold wind, and any sort of a score for the other fellow.

Pluckily firing in a wind reported to be nearly forty miles an hour—more or less, in the cold English autumn, Bisley weather, nine Britishers and a lady were beaten by the Los Angeles Rifle and Revolver Club team, aided by this said high, cold wind.

The California team, firing Sunday at Glendale, and growling every time the soft Pacific zephyr puffed over the hills and carried a bullet out of the black, rolled up the team total of 663 points over the long ranges of 800, 900 and 1000 yards.

The British team, firing earlier in the month, scores just received by letter, faced an icy gale that brought tears to the eyes and took their Lee-Enfield bullets off into the aching void surrounding the far-off paper targets.

Not satisfied with giving the California team the best rifle and ammunition—a bullet of 180 grains at 2700 feet secs., against one of 174 grains at 2440 feet secs., the fates arranged the usual California weather for the local team, and a gale for the poor British. While the victory is a lop-sided one for the locals, it is hard to charge off the proper amount of this margin to the wind, and the right amount to superior shooting for California. On the same range, and on the same targets, it is doubtful if the local team would have any fun at all in getting away with the Englishmen.

The match, the third of the series, and the third straight win for Los Angeles, called for the 800, 900 and 1000-yard ranges, with two sighters, and five record shots per man per range, the high ten men to be the teams.

From the work of the locals, one would have imagined that a wind blew straight up and down vertically, instead of across the landscape as is customary. Men, otherwise fair shots, put bullets clear over the six-foot paper at 1000, and then put some underneath it for the sake of variety. Good holding was not stylish, to say nothing of wind doping, and the fine points of the long range game.

The troubles of the British may be imagined when their secretary reports starting 800 with twenty-five minutes of windage on his sights, which means that he was actually pointing his rifle seventeen feet off the bullseye, into the wind to counteract the drift the wind gave the bullet in going 800 yards. The greatest correction used by the locals was four minutes, and this at 1000 yards, not 800, where the wind had little effect. If the British breeze dropped for an instant, and the shooter did not detect it, he would get a clean miss through having on windage to counteract the breeze.

The shoot Sunday, with its victory, gives the local team three straight matches, taken from their British friends, the first, under the American conditions at 200, 300 and 500 yarrs, off-hand, sitting and prone; the second under British conditions at 200, 500 and 600, and the last at the long ranges.

As the club defeated the Schuetzen riflemen of the Turnverein three times straight, offhand, military rifles against Schuetzen rifles, the locals feel very well satisfied with their international match experiments. The matches against the British were the most ambitious series ever undertaken by an American civilian rifle club.

Ranges, 800, 900 and 1000 yards, five shots per man per range, bullseye three feet diameter, possible score at each range, twenty-five; possible total, seventy-five points.

Los Angeles Rifle and Revolver Club, vs. Rifle Clubs Federation of England, November 29, 1914.

LOS ANGELES.

	800.	900.	1000.	Total.
E. C. Crossman	[illegible]	[illegible]	24	74
Dr. Felsenthal	[illegible]	[illegible]	22	72
W. R. Jackson	24	[illegible]	[illegible]	69
G. L. Wotkyns	24	24	20	68
W. E. Smith	21	23	22	66
W. G. Bresler	[illegible]	21	[illegible]	64
C. B. Hubbs	21	21	21	63
R. P. Umsted	21	22	20	63
W. H. Buehling	25	18	19	62
A. L. Thompson	24	22	16	62
Total				663
I. G. Gardner	24	21	16	61
V. F. Grace	23	18	18	59
V. E. Willard	23	17	18	58
E. Woods	18	..	..	..
George Knippe	14	..	..	..
R. J. Fraser	..	..	19	..
A. L. Goldsborough	..	..	15	..

RIFLE CLUBS FEDERATION.

	800.	900.	1000.	Total.
W. Garland	19	22	15	56
H. A. Matheson	19	21	12	52
H. P. Anscombe	17	19	15	51
A. Harvey	7	17	21	45
W. J. Bassett	15	16	11	42
Mrs. Leonard	18	7	17	42
W. H. Fuller	19	17	4	40
T. W. Greaves	13	20	3	36
H. R. Witherspoon	4	11	15	30
H. K. Wilder	10	9	10	29
Total				423

Los Angeles won by 240 points.

ROVER SOCCER TEAM REFORMED.

Efforts are being made to revive the Soccer League without the use of the pulmotor. A meeting has been called for tonight at No. 246 South Hill street by Sydney Ambrose, a well-known local player, to which all soccer players in the city not members of the regular clubs are urged to be present. The recently defunct Rover Club is to be reorganized and put in the league.

CORONA STANDS ON RACE MARK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

CORONA, Dec. 3.—At a meeting of the officers and directors of the Corona Racing Association held last evening in the First National Bank, an attempt was made to arrive at something definite regarding the financial outcome of the big race held Thanksgiving Day.

According to Secretary Fred E. Snidecor the total receipts will approximate $30,500, while the disbursements will run close to $28,000. That would leave a balance in the treasury of about $2500. Nothing was done regarding the holding of another race here next year, and it is not improbable that the association will be content to let other cities make an attempt to lower the record of 87.78 miles first.

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JOE RIVERS BUYS A NEW LUXURIOUS AUTOMOBILE.

IN SPITE of the collapse of the fight game, Joe Rivers has provided himself with a few of the bare necessities of life.

Having no way to get from home to his work except with a $7500 Simplex seven-passenger automobile, Joe has purchased a new Packard limousine. Now, if his wife should want to go down Broadway and look in at the shop windows while Joe wants to go down Spring street to his training quarters, they can economize time: Mrs. Rivers can go down Broadway in the new Packard, while Joe can go down Spring street in the Simplex. There's nothing like system.

His new purchase makes Rivers the owner of two of the finest cars in Los Angeles. The Simplex is like a battleship and the Packard is a palace.

Joe has owned a Regal, a Cole, a Chalmers, a National, and these two cars. He is now 21 years old, and before he dies will probably own most of the other automobiles in the world. After he has owned all the autos, he can start in on the aeroplanes.

Everybody's Doin' It.

HOFFMANS TO BE IN FILMS.

Will Trip Light Fantastic for the Screen.

Sunday Matinee for Morosco New Policy.

Forbes-Robertson Celebrates Birthday Here.

BY GRACE KINGSLEY.

"Oh, I'm not a bit good as an interviewee," said Miss Gertrude Hoffman at the Orpheum, yesterday.

But anybody with a mind which travels in the high, all the time, like Miss Hoffman's, just naturally can't help overflowing with ideas.

Miss Hoffman believes in motion pictures as a medium for dancing, and has under consideration several offers to transmit her thistledown self to films. She says she means to do this as soon as her present vaudeville engagement expires, and she has had an interval of rest and retirement wherein to prepare. She believes the classic dances of the picturesque sort introduced by Isadora Duncan, as well as some of the oriental dances, would be wonderfully effective in pictures. She believes that even a limited ballet could be filmed.

This is not the only idea Miss Hoffman means to work out in retirement. (By the way, Miss Hoffman's idea of rest seems to be working out new ideas.) She states she has several novel ideas for ballets. She doesn't wish to state definitely what these are, because there is always somebody ready to appropriate one's inspirations. But she admitted great interest in a big, spectacular Japanese ballet, featuring picturesque incidents in Japanese history and literature.

Miss Hoffman is a rebel against the ancient Russian classic school of dancing, which she considers stiff and inexpressive.

Of course, everyone knows Miss Hoffman was the one who first brought Isadora Duncan's school of dancing to this country, after the latter had convinced the Russian Ballet Academie and M. Fokine that she had an artistic mission.

"The old classic school is a wonderful training," said Miss Hoffman, "but, unmodified, it is too stiff. I think Isadora Duncan and Pavlowa are the most wonderful dancers in the world. I wish America could see Pavlowa and the other Russian dancers of the new school, all together, as I saw them in Paris. Their productions were a revelation of the mimetic art of pantomime.

"I think foreigners of the Latin races are superior as pantomimists, but the modern ballroom dances are helping the American in his power of self-expression.

"How have I received inspiration for my dances? From little children in their play. They are graceful and they are inventive in their motor activities. The unconscious grace and pose of the child suggests many of the most beautiful movements for my dances."

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Miss Elsie Janis was guest at dinner with Miss Gertrude Hoffman and Max Hoffman, on Wednesday.

The two fascinating stage favorites are old friends, having worked together in New York at the time Miss Janis made her first big success.

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Some additions are to be made to the Gaiety company. Misses Jane Urban and Myrtle Dingwall and Mr. Percy Bronson are the newcomers.

Manager Rork announces that the next piece which will be put on will not be "The Golden Girl," as announced yesterday, but the great popular musical comedy, "The Three Twins," in which Victor Morley and Bessie McCoy made such a tremendous hit a season or two ago.

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A stock company of youthful actors, ranging from 10 years to 15 years of age! That's the dream of Violet Howard, who will play an important part in "Martha-by-the-Day" with May Robson, at the Mason, next week.

Lillian Gish,
Of the Griffith feature films, Mutual.

With this object in view, Miss Howard is conducting negotiations to obtain a theater in the West, and Messrs. Wyatt and Behymer are both in receipt of letters from her regarding the subject.

Miss Howard is one of the best known child impersonators on the stage; but she believes that the dramatic instinct is inherent in childhood and youth, and that young and adolescent children should view plays by youthful actors rather than by grown-ups.

"Many dramatic successes could be put on by children as well as by grown-ups," says Miss Howard.

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Ted Wilson of the Gaiety company leaves week after next to go into vaudeville. Following his engagement on an eastern circuit, he will join Christie MacDonald's company in "Sweethearts."

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Lovely Loana, who does the hula dance at the Hip this week, is rather a rara avis, in that she doesn't claim to be a Hawaiian princess in disguise.

By-the-by, she is deserving of medals for her terpsichorean prowess, but doesn't wear any, 'cause there's nothing to pin 'em to!

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Sir Johnston Forbes-Robertson will celebrate his sixty-second birthday in Los Angeles, next week.

It is nearly thirty years since his first appearance in America. New York saw him first on Monday night, October 12, 1885, playing Orlando in the company which supported Mary Anderson in "As You Like It."

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Speaking about applause. Last winter just after George Bernard Shaw had set all London talking because of his protest against laughing, clapping and other noises of approval, a once famous English actress who has now retired into private life, recalled an experience she had had with silence such as Shaw was recommending.

It seems that when Forbes Robertson presented for the first time on any stage his revival of "Othello," in Manchester, his audience paid him the great tribute of silence and attention, to which he later referred as that "splendid silence" of appreciation. A few weeks later the above mentioned actress also produced a play in Manchester for the first time, but with less success. When she met Forbes-Robertson in London a few months later, she said: "Yes, Forbes-Robertson, I understand all about that 'splendid silence' of a Manchester audience. Pray keep it! I prefer a more demonstrative approval, thank you!"

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David Warfield attended a matinee performance at the Orpheum, a day or two ago, and saw what had happened to "The Return of Peter Grimm," in William de Mille's play, Poor Old Jim, being done by Joseph Jefferson.

Of course, he laughed! Who wouldn't?

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Manager Rork of the Gaiety company announces a change in policy regarding matinees at the Morosco. There will henceforth be a Sunday matinee, but no Tuesday afternoon performance. This is in response to a popular demand.

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Mrs. Leslie Carter thrilled and delighted a big crowd at the Morosco last night, in her act from "The Heart of Maryland."

Tonight is Keystone comedy night, with Charlie Chaplin, Mabel Normand, Charlie Murray, Roscoe Arbuckle and others in a riotous comedy.

Tom Mix,
The cowboy star, at Clune's Auditorium.

BILLY SUNDAY IS KNOCKING GATES.

TOO MUCH EVANGELISM PUTS DAMPER ON BASEBALL ENTHUSIASM.

Bob Read, president of the Ohio State League, says that an overabundance of evangelistic revivals throughout Ohio cities had put a crimp in certain clubs of his league last season. Read especially mentioned the work of Billy Sunday, former member of Anson's White Sox, as taking the minds of people off baseball and making them "buggy" about something else.

GRANT SOCCERS TIE COLEGROVE.

At the Ramona field yesterday afternoon the Grant and Colegrove grammar school soccer teams met for the championship of West Los Angeles. The final score was 1 to 1.

The game was furiously contested, for the winner is to play the Belvidere School of Boyle Heights for the city title. Another game between Grant and Colegrove will be played early next week.

College Ball.

GLAZE DIRECTS BALL PRACTICE.

Lawyers Much in Evidence First Day.

Coach to Watch Men Until Holidays.

Glaze has Excellent Record in Baseball.

BY HOWARD W. ANGUS.

Coach Glaze of U.S.C. put the Trojan baseball squad through its first practice of the year yesterday afternoon. Capt. Canepa reported with fifteen men. The law school men were conspicuous and came near being the whole show. They had on their Hupmobile uniforms. The others were in their school clothes. There are no baseball suits at U.S.C.

Coach Glaze will handle the Trojans just like a manager handles a ball club in the spring. The first few weeks he will test them out at batting and fielding and get ready for quick weeding out. After the holidays he will reduce his team down to the club size. There will be the regular players, the utility men and the pitchers. He will not bother with excess baggage or carry along players that cannot make good.

PITCHERS NEEDED.

"I have to develop pitchers," he said, "I can see that."

For the first few days the pitchers will just throw easy, warming up their arms. Next week he will have them throwing straight balls to the batters just the way they are to pitch in a game. He will watch their style. If they haven't any, he will teach them one. Cutting the corners and control, he will develop as they go along. In the first few games he will do the thinking for them, telling them just what to serve up to the batters.

Coach Glaze had Benson and Counts, the pitchers, warm up. The rest of the squad went through a batting practice. Each man hit the ball out five times, while the others fielded. Then Glaze knocked grounders to the law school infielders to see how they handled themselves. The ground was all sawdust and the ball jumped every way.

THE PRACTICE.

He knocked the ball to Hirsh at third. He fielded smoothly and shot the ball to first with a perfect peg.

"You say his name is Hirsh," was Glaze's comment.

He drove at hot one at Halloway on short, and warned him to throw easy to protect his arm.

"Halloway was a star, wasn't he?" the coach asked Captain Canepa.

When it came Wright's turn at second, Glaze's one remark was, "He's a ball player."

Most of the afternoon the Trojan coach and one-time Red Sox twirler just stood around watching the men work, sizing them up.

THE PLAN.

"All I can do for the first few weeks," he explained, "is just to size the men up, watch their good points and catch their faults. After that I will begin remedying. Most college baseball men are naturally fast ball hitters, and need little coaching on a straight ball. The curve bothers them.

"I'm going to have a batting cage put up, and give the men all kinds of batting practice until Christmas. I will watch them all and catch their faults in the practices."

GLAZE'S RECORD.

Ralph Glaze was Dartmouth's star twirler in college. He was so good that the Red Sox grabbed him. He pitched for Boston on 1906, '07, '08. He then went to Providence for one year, to Indianapolis for two, and to Montreal for one, managed Beaumont in the Texas League, and finished up last year with St. Joseph in the Western League.

He coached the Dartmouth baseball varsity in 1908. That year it defeated Harvard, Yale, Pennsylvania and West Point. He then went south and coached Baylor College for three years. The result was three championship teams. Six of his Baylor College men went up to the big leagues.

"Some of them didn't stay very long," he added, "but they were good enough to have a chance."

U.S.C. WILL MEET BEARS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH]

BERKELEY, Dec. 3.—Manager Bovard of U.S.C. arranged for track meets and baseball games with the University of California here today. The California track team will compete in the south March 20, while the southern team will come north the following week. The University of Southern California baseball team will play California here March 6 and 7 or March 13 and 14.

Both universities will probably use their freshmen. The faculties will decide that.

PING BODIE IS SLIPPING BACK.

Though Larry Chappelle is mentioned as one of the players the Chicago White Sox will send to Milwaukee as part of the trade for Felch, it is said that Manager Harry Clark of the Brewers has expressed a preference for Ping Bodie. Ping might be able to renew his old fence busting stunts in the American Association.

M'GRAW OPPOSES CUTTING TEAMS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The proposal to limit the number of players to be carried by National League clubs, which it is said will be brought up at the annual meeting of the league here next week, will be fought by Manager John McGraw of the New York Giants. In a statement made public today, Secretary John B. Foster said that any plan or suggestion to limit the number of players to twenty or twenty-five would be opposed by the New York club.

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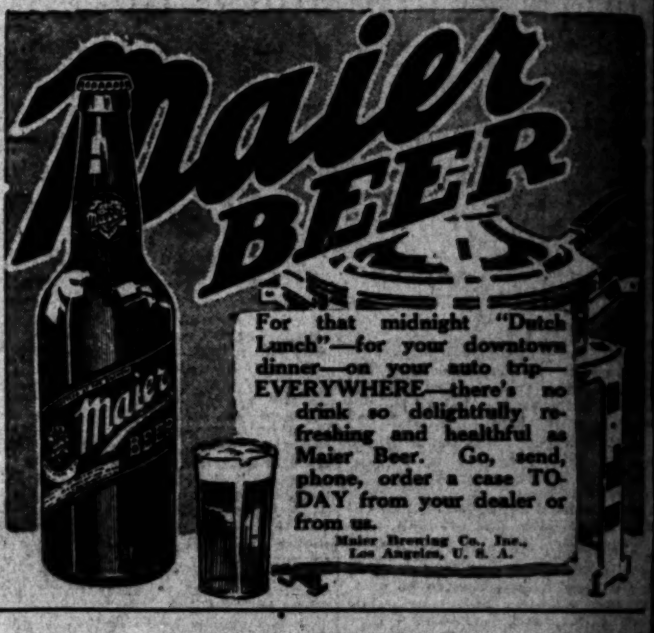

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...ile "jitney" busses continue to ...the traffic along Broadway, ...and Spring streets to such an ...that complaints against the ...chasers flood the police depart- ...daily, the demand for passenger- ...licenses is keeping up. For ...twenty-four hours ending at noon ...thirty-two applications for ...licenses were passed upon ...Lieut. Butler of the traffic squad. ...the afternoon forty-nine more ap- ...appeared for consideration. ...During the past few days complaints ...been increasing that "jitney" ...crowd the street corners so ...that those who prefer to ride ...street cars experience difficulty in ...to them. Yesterday complaint ...made to the police by Mrs. E. ...No. 2715 West Jefferson ...that a "jitney" bus driver had ..."changed" her last Saturday ...Mrs. Wheeler reported that she ..."jitney" bus at the end of the ...Jefferson-street car line and rode ...blocks to her home. She said ...was rather dark and she hand- ...driver a $5 gold piece by mis- ...a nickel. She immediately ...attention to the fact, but ..."No, this is a nickel."

...arriving home Mrs. Wheeler ...her change on a table and ...that a $5 gold piece was miss- ...tried to identify the driver, ...unsuccessful, owing to the ...number of these nickel-chasers ...day. One driver was called to ...the station and questioned by ...Butler. He proved an alibi. The ...are watching for the driver de- ...by Mrs. Wheeler.

HE'S RUN DOWN.

...Kasterek, 19 years old, of No. ...Echo Park avenue, was the vic- ...yesterday afternoon of an acci- ...in which he was run down and ...injured by a bus. Kasterek ...riding north on Main street, be- ...Seventh and Eighth, when a ..." bus, driven by H. D. Thurber ...West Forty-second street, ...from the rear and dragged ...several feet. Mr. Kasterek as- ...that no warning signal was ...by the driver, but Mr. Thur- ...a passenger say the driver ...a horn. Mr. Kasterek, who is ...was treated at the Receiv- ...Hospital for abrasions on the left ...severe injuries to the groin.

WANT ACTION.

...the time has come for some ...of the "free-lancing" ve- ...the gist of a letter drafted ...by the directorate of the ...and Manufacturers' Asso- ...mailing today to the City ...The wording of the letter

"We believe that the time has ar- ...when your honorable body ...some action regulating ...traffic of the 5-cent au- ...busses that are now being ...in all sections of the city, ...in the business districts. ...busses can run through the ...proper regulation and ...the lives of not only ...the public in general, we ...confronted with a num- ...The lives of a great ...will be sacrificed or ...injury will be the re- ...We call your attention to the ...of these automobiles ...loaded to three and four times ...normal capacity; that people are ...on the running boards and ...in the machine to such an ...that the driver, who in many ...is incompetent, is unable to ...control his machine. With ...hundreds of these busses run- ...up and down the main streets ...traffic congestion is greatly in- ...and the progress of other ...correspondingly retarded, ...as the operators of the ...jitney busses solicit patron- ...the sidewalks and compel ...machines to slow up when tak- ...and discharging passengers any- ...within the block. To allow ...machines unrestricted freedom is ...to the entire community ...believe that no good reason ...why they should not be placed ...strict traffic regulations, and we ...request that this matter re- ...early attention of your hon- ...body."

AGAINST TAX.

...other hand, the directors of ...mercantile organizations took ...stand yesterday against the ...special tax on commercial ...The following communica- ...which will be sent to the City ...and the Board of Supervisors, ...explanatory:

"...the month of October last ...passed by the board of ...of the Automobile Club of California was transmitted ...honorable body, requesting ...proper tax be fixed upon the ...vehicles, such as trucks ...the transportation of rock, ...etc., and that that tax be ...the amount of damage done ...to the streets and boulevards ...city and county. This matter ...thoroughly discussed at our ...of the board of directors yes- ...and I was instructed to in- ...that we are opposed to any ...action that would inter- ...the commercial development ...of this city and county. ...of such vehicles are now ...license tax to the State, half ...is used for the maintenance ...public highways, and they also ...personal tax to the city and ...such vehicles, and it is abso- ...and unfair to place an ...burden on the owners of ...that are needed in the ...of their business.

CAN'T COOK NOW.

...Brand, a cook, of No. 525 ...sustained a severe frac- ...the right ankle yesterday, ...was struck by an automobile ...J. F. Groves of No. 205 ...Broadway.

PURSE SNATCHED.

...R. Sickles, No. 1821 South ...reported to the police ...afternoon that her purse ...from her hands while ...walking on that thorough- ...purse contained $10 and ...

DOES GOOD WORK THOUGH HAMPERED.

MUCH AID GIVEN INDIGENTS THROUGH THE UNITED CHARITIES.

Despite a depleted treasury and difficult financial conditions, the work of the United Charities of Los Angeles for November showed a marked increase in relief, given over October. There were 901 applications made for assistance of various kinds and of this number scarcely any were turned away without having found succor, whether in the way of clothes, of employment, railroad transportation, medicine and other necessities.

A large number of poor afflicted with tuberculosis, who applied for help were turned over to special charities and outside sources for assistance for the reason that the United Charities has come to a point where it is impossible to provide relief over a long continued period as is essential in such cases.

In the many cases of want, 892 children were involved, some of them orphans, some of them dependent on a mother or father separated or divorced, and a few, the offspring of unmarried couples. The majority of cases, however, involved children having both parents. The greatest number of persons in need is shown to have been caused by unemployment, a total of 323. Sickness interfered with 112 persons and delayed wages, old age, desertion and husbands in prison caused another 189 persons to seek help.

Many men without families applied for help, but were turned down, save in a few exceptional cases, where they were given clothing in exchange for running errands and doing other work of the organization. A large number of applicants were referred to benevolent societies; some to the County Hospital; others to the health office and all were taken care of to the best ability of the charities under the circumstances.

GENERALLY OPPOSED.

Committee of Federated Improvement Association Reports on Proposed Amendments.

The Federated Improvement Association last night discussed the report of a committee appointed at a previous meeting to make recommendation on the charter amendments proposed to be voted upon at an election the 31st inst. The report was strongly against proposed amendment No. 1, providing for a city manager; equally strong against No. 2, proposing a borough form of government; just as decidedly against No. 3, providing for bonding districts within the city; opposed No. 4, relative to railroad crossings, because it does not include the electric roads; condemned No. 5, calling for the appointment instead of election of the Board of Education, because it would "lower the present high standard of the schools" and turn them back into politics; opposed No. 8, providing for proportional representation in the City Council, because it destroys majority control, and is destructive of the principle upon which the government is founded; against No. 10, concerning proposals and contracts.

The report favored the adoption of but three of the amendments. These are No. 6, providing for subways, sewers and storm drains; No. 7, paving the way for city and county consolidation, and No. 9, enabling the city to accept donations for the erection of buildings in city parks.

After a long discussion the whole subject was postponed until December 17, when the report will be made the special order.

These officers were elected for the ensuing year: President, B. F. Groves; vice-president, J. R. Tyson and Robert Hale; attorney, John W. Mitchell; secretary-treasurer, H. M. Chapman.

Origin Unknown.

FIRE DAMAGES PUBLIC MART.

Three Buildings are Gutted by the Flames.

Forty Thousand Dollars is Estimated Loss.

Sightseers Hinder Firemen in Hard Fight.

Three buildings of the Los Angeles Public Market were gutted by fire shortly before midnight last night, entailing damages estimated at about $40,000. Losses were suffered by the Independent Marketing Company, E. W. Wolcott, Von Housen & Company, and P. Ferraris.

The fire was of unknown origin, starting on the second floor of the Independent Marketing Company at No. 1328 Produce street. Though two alarms were sounded and six engine companies responded, the fire spread rapidly, and it was with great difficulty that the flames were confined to the second stories.

Many streams of water were played on the fire from both sides of the buildings, and considerable damage was done to the produce on the first floors and in the basements.

Until the firemen got the flames under control the fire presented an ominous appearance, threatening the big firms of Rivers Bros., Klein-Simpson Fruit Company and several others.

Hundreds of persons rushed from all sections of the city to the scene, and the firemen worked with difficulty, owing to the jam of sightseers.

Firemen and volunteer citizens worked heroically in removing produce from the burning buildings, and saved several thousand dollars worth of goods.

WATER CONTRACTS LET.

Angelenos Get Larger Part of Work for Escondido with the Money Available.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ESCONDIDO, Dec. 3.—For the installation of the municipal water system the City Trustees have awarded the contract for the furnishing of sixteen miles of cast-iron pipe to the John M. Gardiner Company of Los Angeles, on the lineal foot basis, the amount figuring $55,000.

The contract for the installation of the cement-lined reservoir on Park Hill, the highest point of land overlooking the city, with a capacity of a million and a half gallons, has been awarded to the Holland Construction Company of San Diego for $11,494. The Trustees have also set aside $5000 for the purchase of the land for the pumping plant. Contracts for the sinking of the wells in the sands of the Escondido River bottom, a mile east of the city, and for the installation of the pumps, will be awarded soon.

The bonds for the system were voted a couple of years ago, $100,000, and the bids were opened last May. A few days ago the State Board of Control bought $75,000 of the bonds, and the balance having been purchased by other interests, the money is now available for the immediate installation of the system.

DEADLY WEAPONS TOO NUMEROUS.

CHIEF OF POLICE RECOMMENDS DRASTIC MEASURES TO CURB THEIR USE.

Apprehensive of the result of the continued unrestrained sale of firearms in the city, the Chief of Police announced yesterday that he will urge upon the Police Commission the necessity of a drastic ordinance restricting such sales. Chief Sebastian has decided to make an effort, through recommendations to the commission, to induce the Council to pass such an ordinance.

The Chief will recommend civic legislation along the line of the Sullivan Act of New York. This makes it a felony to carry concealed deadly weapons. The maximum punishment is seven years in prison.

The principal provisions of the Sullivan Act follow:

Persons selling deadly weapons, capable of being concealed on the person, shall keep a register with particulars of the sale.

Sale of dangerous weapons to any person under 16 years constitutes a misdemeanor.

Any person who attempts to use against another or carries or possesses any deadly weapon is guilty of a felony, and any person under 16 years so doing is guilty of a misdemeanor.

Any person not a citizen of the United States who shall have or carry any deadly weapon in any public place is guilty of a felony.

INDIAN BREAD FAMINE.

But Brave Who Caused it by Selling "Stone Mortar Relics" is in the "Hoosgau."

One face was missing yesterday morning from among the Indians who have been accustomed to sell curios and antiques to passengers on the Santa Fe continental trains, as they hesitate at Riverside.

Juan Seguro, who in the patois of the vicinity is known as "Sure Thing John," was brought to the city yesterday by Deputy United States Marshal Durlin, charged with grand larceny, committed on the Pechanga Indian Reservation. Juan has been bound over to the Federal grand jury by a justice of the peace at Muriatta, after a hearing attended by a large contingent of the bucks and squaws. The women were especially interested.

Seguro was in the practice of hanging around the Santa Fe station, and he made a specialty of disposing to tourists the stone bowls or mortars that the Indian women used to pound their grain in for bread-making. He declared that the stone bowls were relics of a lost tribe, "away back in the hills," as he put it in his broken Indian lingo, and he had no trouble in disposing of all that he could furnish, some being sold to the more impressionable tourists for as high as $5 each. He had quite a story for the delectation of the travelers, and did a thriving business.

The charge is that Seguro stole the bowls; that no sooner did an Indian complete one for the use of his wife than it would disappear. The fact is, about all the bowls in use on the reservation disappeared, and the job of bread-making came to a stop among the women, with the effect that it was necessary for them to journey to Temacula to get bread, for Seguro, it is said, had created a famine.

For a long time he carried on his peculations undiscovered, and some of the Medicine men on the reservation, who were consulted about the matter, intimated that the Bad Spirit had taken the bowls. But some of the more practical Indians set a trap for Seguro and caught him, it is asserted.

But "Sure Thing John" will be missed at the Santa Fe station in Riverside. However, the chances are that some other clever red men will be on hand with a supply.

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A PASTOR RESIGNS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SOUTH PASADENA, Dec. 3.—Rev. Booker Smith, pastor of the Christian Church, has handed in his resignation, effective next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Smith has been with the present charge for four years, and during that time has increased the membership by eighty, erected a new bungalow church and burned a mortgage of $1900. Rev. E. F. Stevens of Hollywood has accepted the charge and will occupy the pulpit next Sunday. Rev. Mr. Smith has been offered the pastorate of two different churches, but at the present time will not accept a regular charge, as he will enter the medical profession and open an office in this city as a chiropractic.

CLUB HANGS OVER.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

RIVERSIDE, Dec. 3.—The Sanitation Committee of the Grand Jury recently gave notice that drastic steps would be taken by that body in case the City Council and residents of Arlington did not take some definite action before December 10 in the matter of providing the southwestern section of the city with sewerage facilities. It is learned today that the Grand Jury will file its long-deferred report on December 10 and will omit from the document reference to the sewerage matter only in case it is assured that the improvement will be made within a reasonable time.

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Salted almond set of six, $7.00 and up.
Sterling silver candlesticks, $3.75; six inches high.
Sheffield and Silver Plated Ware.
Sandwich plate, full size, $3.50 and up.
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Pasadena.

KNITTING BEES ALL THE RAGE.

Society Taking up Gentle Task for Warriors.

Classes for Instruction Held Thrice Weekly.

Season's First Debutante Plans Coming Out.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 4.—The most exclusive society women of Pasadena have formed a knitting and sewing class at which they will fashion warm clothing for Europe's frost-bitten soldiers.

Since Miss Kate Fowler, the richest girl here, announced her intention of taking her knitting with her everywhere she goes, whether to church, theater, dinner or dance, her friends have been eager to follow her example.

T. W. Mather, a merchant, is providing teachers to instruct them in the art of knitting and crocheting, and the classes are to meet every Tuesday, Thursday and Saturday.

Among the first to respond and follow in Miss Fowler's footsteps were Mrs. William Stewart McCay, Mrs. R. R. Blacker and Mrs. Kate Blankenhorn. These women urge all those who have not joined the classes to do so at once and they are anxious that all who can, will knit or crochet, long woolen stockings that reach above the knees. They should be made heavy and large.

Mrs. McCay, who lived abroad five years and who has been in Pasadena only five months, said last night at her South Orange Grove avenue home that she had received a dozen or more letters from friends in every part of Europe, urging her to do all she can to help the soldiers who are now suffering untold agony from the cold.

When speaking of conditions which have been brought about by the war, Mrs. McCay declared that a paragraph of a letter she had received from the daughter of one of the Czar's Imperial Chancellors told the whole story. In the letter her friend says:

"The tremendous wave of patriotism and devotion which has lifted Russia to unknown heights, is something undreamed of. A great moral change has come over the people and a new conscience is about to be born."

FIRST DEBUTANT.

As the first debutante of the season, Miss Phila Miller, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. John Barnes Miller of Hillside road, will be formally presented to Pasadena society at a large and brilliantly appointed reception to be given at the Miller home on Wednesday afternoon, December 16.

To this function which promises to be one of the most important events of the season, several hundred invitations have been issued.

Miss Miller is one of the Crown City's most charming girls, and with her parents is closely identified with the social life of the Midwick Country Club. Here she devotes much of her time to tennis, golf and other outdoor sports. She is unusually popular and her formal entrance into society will be the signal for much entertaining in her honor.

BASEMENTS FLOODED.

Not until the fire department came to their rescue yesterday was there any relief afforded to the four buildings on Colorado street which for five hours were flooded with water in the basements because of a clogged sewer.

For hours a big crew of the street department worked diligently trying to clear the sewer, but finally gave up in despair and called on the firemen, who pumped the water out with a fire engine. The sewer had been clogged by a large fruit box.

CHARITY SALES.

As a result of the first day's work of the big Manufacturers' and Merchants' sale, which is being held under the auspices of the Central Board of Charities, $3000 has been realized.

The sales themselves amount to about $1600, while the rest of the $3000 was sent to the central board in checks.

Contributions and exhibits are still coming in, and by Saturday the society women who are serving as salesgirls and waitresses expect to have taken in at least $5000, which will be distributed to the four charitable organizations of Pasadena.

WOOZY DANCE.

For the first time the "woozy" made its appearance in society last night when 300 baby woozies were given as favors at the second of the informal dances held at Hotel Green.

Mrs. Woozy made her first appearance at Venice last summer and last night, as her small offspring dangled from the sashes of debutantes, she was an interested onlooker from a seat of honor. During the evening she gave several interesting exhibitions, and was noticed quite frequently on the ballroom floor.

M. K. Francis was fined $100 in Judge McDonald's Police Court yesterday on a charge of selling liquor in violation of the city charter, and before the case is really ended he may lose his liquor permit.

At first he pleaded not guilty, but realizing that the prosecuting witnesses were the same two policemen who testified against Druggist Rogers, he changed his plea, expecting Judge McDonald to impose a minimum penalty.

Beautiful Mandarin coats and skirts at Grace Nicholson's.—[Advertisement.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo, Pasadena.—[Advertisement.

BODY TO GO EAST.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

VENICE, Dec. 3.—The body of Thomas J. Hill, the intrepid birdman, who yesterday morning fell to his death when the left wing of his loop-the-loop monoplane buckled and caused the plane to drop to earth, will be shipped to the dead man's home in Kansas City tomorrow afternoon. Hill has a mother and sister there who will receive the remains.

DOCTOR'S WIFE BURNED.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

FULLERTON, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Dr. Wickett, daughter of Hon. C. C. Chapman, was painfully burned from the waist down to her feet this morning, and for several hours suffered great pain. Her kimono caught fire from a gas stove, the flames spreading rapidly. A maid who was near by quickly threw a heavy robe around Mrs. Wickett and the flames were soon extinguished, but not in time to prevent the painful burns.

Long Beach.

PATROL SHORES SEEKING SONS.

Aged Mourners Look in Vain for Floating Bodies.

Well-known Californian Passes Beyond.

Business Men Demand Army and Navy Increase.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 3.—Two gray-haired fathers watched the breaker line tonight, each tearfully hoping that the ocean would give up the body of their sons, drowned off this beach within the last three days. They were W. F. Sweetser of Corona and G. A. Valentine of Los Angeles. Roy Sweetser, 29, son of the Corona man, is thought to have jumped off the pier last night, and C. E. Valentine, aged 32, entered the surf to bathe Tuesday, to return no more.

At one time tonight it was reported that a body was seen floating near the pier. The aged men hastened to the outer wharf only to be disappointed—the floating object was merely a mass of kelp. They returned to their vigil.

"The ocean looks good to me" were the last words of a message sent by Roy Sweetser to his father yesterday. He wrote in a despondent strain and hinted at throwing himself in the Pacific. This morning Wharfinger Knowles found his hat with two letters from his wife inside on the edge of the wharf.

The letters were from the unfortunate man's wife, who is endeavoring to support her babies in Minneapolis while the father sought health here. Sweetser sent a small sum of money, probably all he had, to his father, inclosing in the letter a photograph of himself.

It may be several days before either of the bodies come to the shore or surface.

JOHN MALCOM DIES.

John Malcom, aged 71, who came to California fifty-one years ago, passed away at the family residence, No. 639 West Fourth street, this morning. He was intimately connected with the commercial development of Los Angeles county in the early days, having spent a majority of his years in the Golden State at Compton, where he engaged in the dry goods business. He came from Illinois to Santa Clara county in 1863, removing shortly afterward to Watsonville. After a few years at that place and at Hanford he came to Compton. Nine years ago he removed with his family to Long Beach.

He leaves his widow, five sons, Charles and Walter of Long Beach, Elmer A. of Deming, N. M.; Roy, an instructor in the University of Southern California, and John, Jr., of Visalia, and two daughters, Mrs. O. H. Denning and Mrs. Leola Stewart, both of Los Angeles. The funeral will be held Saturday afternoon at the First M. E. Church.

MARTIAL SPIRIT.

Chamber of Commerce directors today adopted a resolution calling upon legislators in this State to vote for the Gardner resolution, providing for an increase of the army and navy, which will come up to a vote in the national house.

Most of the directors in the debate on this question took the present national administration to task for not providing adequate defense.

POSSESSES A WIFE.

R. Lee Wilson, heretofore alleged to be a bachelor, a prominent realty man, was married to Miss Muryl Richardson, only daughter of Mr. and Mrs. W. M. Richardson of Vancouver, B. C., at Riverside last May, but the young people kept the matter a secret.

It might have been kept from the general public yet, but Benedict Wilson let slip the fact that he possessed a wife in enthusiastically talking to a friend about a proposed trip to Honolulu. Now that the "feline" is out of the gunnysack, he says he will establish a residence for Mrs. Wilson and himself on West Thirty-ninth street, Los Angeles.

"PET SKUNK" IN SCHOOL.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 4.—If A. L. Hunter, janitor of the Pasadena High School ever learns which one of the pupils it was who brought a "pet skunk" to school yesterday, he says he will so far forget himself as to do bodily harm.

Since the visit of the little white and black animal Hunter has used gallons of disinfectant with no lasting effect and all who pass through the halls of learning are impressed with the fact that the unwelcome guest was present. Hunter thinks it will be months before he, the teachers and pupils can forget it.

ADVENTIST CONFERENCE.

Church Affairs in Four States to be Considered at Meeting in Glendale Next Week.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

GLENDALE, Dec. 3.—The Executive Committee of the Pacific Union Conference of Seventh-day Adventists will meet for its fall council in Glendale next Sunday, Monday and Tuesday. The Union Conference includes the States of California, Arizona, Nevada and Utah. Representatives of the work of the denomination in these States will be present.

Important measures affecting the entire Pacific Coast field will be considered. The amount of appropriations for Utah, Nevada and Arizona will be decided upon. Last year the appropriations for evangelistic work in these States amounted to $10,000. Four thousand dollars of this was spent in Utah, $2400 in Nevada and $3600 in Arizona.

A delegation to the National Educational and Young People's Missionary Volunteer Convention, to be held late in February, probably at College View, three miles from Lincoln, Neb., will be decided upon. The committee also will appoint a union field agent to take the place of Carl E. Weaks of St. Helena, now in the East.

The members of the committee, who will be present, are as follows: E. E. Andrews, president, Glendale; Claude Conard, secretary, Oakland; E. W. Farnsworth, Oakland; C. L. Taggart, Lodi; B. E. Beddoe, Fresno; W. M. Adams, Salt Lake City; C. W. Irwin, St. Helena; C. H. Jones, Mountain View; J. Ernest Bond, Phoenix; F. M. Burg, Los Angeles; W. C. White, St. Helena; M. E. Cady, Oakland; J. A. Stevens, Reno; D. D. Comstock, Glendale.

DEFENSE ASSERTS IRRESPONSIBILITY.

WITNESS TESTIFIES TO CHANGE IN THE APPEARANCE OF POISON SENDER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 3.—Testimony to prove that Mrs. Georgia Simmons-Burke of Winslow, Ariz., was irresponsible for her acts when, as alleged, she mailed poisoned candy to the Misses Ada and Amie Dagg in this city, was presented by the defense in her trial this morning.

E. B. Thurston, a resident of Winslow, testified that he had known Mrs. Burke for a number of years before he met her accidentally in Los Angeles last May. He said that he scarcely recognized her as a result of her changed appearance. Testimony regarding her alleged irrational manner was also given by James Arnold, former Chief of Police of Richmond, Cal., where Mrs. Burke was arrested. Expert medical testimony for the defense will be given by two alienists this afternoon.

In an alleged confession by Mrs. Burke, which was introduced by the prosecution before the State rested, it was stated Mrs. Burke was inspired to send the poison as a result of alleged remarks by Mrs. Dagg concerning reported relations between Mrs. Burke and Mr. Dagg.

BUSINESS MAN DIES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ALHAMBRA, Dec. 3.—The death of H. C. Feutz, formerly a well-known business man of this city, occurred in San Gabriel shortly after 1 o'clock this morning. Mr. Feutz had been in ill health for some time and early in the summer disposed of his business interests and went to Alabama in search of health. With his family he returned here a short time ago and, removing to San Gabriel, was preparing to go into business there. A widow, a daughter and a son survive him.

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Santa Ana.

DEFINES NET CONTAINER LAW ON EASTERN GOODS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 3.—J. B. Byerly, Secretary of the Los Angeles Wholesalers' Association, and representatives of several jobbers and wholesalers have been here in conference with Dist.-Atty. L. A. West and George McPhee, county sealer of weights and measures.

McPhee reported that many of the retailers are being supplied with canned goods that do not strictly comply with the State law, which requires most such articles to be marked with the net weight.

The wholesalers contend that when they sell goods canned in some other State they only have to comply with the Federal law, which requires the statement of the net weight, though not the exact wording of the State law. McPhee explained that he was working under instructions from State Superintendent Johnson, in charge of the Weights and Measures Department, and would proceed to enforce the State law unless otherwise instructed.

Johnson was appealed to, and McPhee has been informed that the Clark, Kelley Company of San Francisco was instructed that compliance with the Federal law is sufficient so far as goods canned outside the State are concerned. McPhee has not yet received instructions on the point, though he wrote to Sacramento Monday of last week.

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Sierra Madre.

WOMAN GIVES BATTLE TO HALF DOZEN SNAKES.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SIERRA MADRE, Dec. 3.—Mrs. Essie West, wife of Robert T. West, manager of the Shepard Sanatorium, has no aversion for snakes, and evidently knows how to dispatch them. Although small in stature, light of frame, petite and girlish, she is not lacking in courage, coolness and ability to kill.

Traversing the canyons back of the sanatorium grounds in search of holly, Mrs. West stumbled into a nest of rattlesnakes. Their hissing and movements in a clump of bushes attracted her attention. Stepping back a pace or two Mrs. West secured a stick and poked the place from whence she noticed the commotion.

One large rattler emerged, followed by several of various sizes. The larger one coiled and hissed. Mrs. West, clutching her stick tightly, made a vicious swing at its head. Her aim was good as the snake lay squirming in the open. Quickly stepping upon its body with one foot, Mrs. West crushed its head with her stick. Then she turned her attention to the smaller ones.

After the battle five medium-sized rattlers lay dead on the ground, also one monster. The larger one she carried home as a trophy. It measured three feet in length and about two inches in circumference. It was skinned at the Shepard Sanatorium.

Mrs. West's waist will soon be adorned with a rattle skin belt. Many snakes have been killed in these canyons, few of this size. They are unusual this time of year. Settlers here claim the last warm spell unearthed them.

Santa Barbara.

QUEEN OF THE HOBOES WINS RESPECT ON ROAD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 3.—The queen of the hoboes, dressed as a boy, is being sought by the officers of Santa Barbara, Ventura and San Luis Obispo counties. She is described as a dainty, slender figure, with shining locks, which she keeps pinned up under a slouch hat. Who she is is one of the mysteries of the hunt.

The first knowledge of her presence among the hobo camps was taken to the officers by an auto party. The occupants of the machine had been startled by coming upon her suddenly at Rincon. She was standing erect in a circle of hardened vagrants, combing out her long, golden hair. Her tough companions were lounging about, watching the deft movements of her hands, and seemingly doing homage as to a queen.

Seeing herself discovered by the auto party the girl quickly wrapped a ragged coat about her head. The auto dashed for Ventura and notified the officers. A hurried raid was made on the camp, but the girl had fled, the hoboes scattered, and only the burning fire gave evidence that the camp had been just vacated.

All the camps along the Ventura River and up the Rincon were searched. Evidence was found that the girl had been in several of the camps. Vagrants accosted admitted her presence, but claimed to know nothing of her.

"She just drifted into camp when we was at Fernando," said one, "and she hung around there for a night or two, and showed up here two nights ago. Say, but there ain't no bo can say nothing onery to her, though, or we'd kill him, that we would."

Another hobo said he had heard of her as far away as El Paso. "I think she's a Chicago girl, 'cause she's always talking about the big stores there, and the streets, and knows some of the 'bulls.' I'll tell you that what I think; she's one of them writing women, trying to get something unusual to write about. She don't talk that way, though, except once in a while when she seems to be forgetting, then she says fine words. Once she busted this on us—'Do you men actually like this environment?' Gee, but that was some talk for a hobo."

But the tramps say she packs her blankets and can beg a hand-out just as good as the best of them.

Los Angeles Harbor.

FOLLOWING THE TRAIL OF THE TRADES WEST.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LOS ANGELES HARBOR, Dec. 3.—Twenty-five steamers arrived from foreign and Atlantic ports during November, according to the report of Port Warden Don C. Fugitt. Of these, four did not take a pilot, as under the new pilotage ordinance pilots are required only upon vessels whose masters have no license for this port. The net tonnage of those taking a pilot aggregated 74,742.

Masters of steamers running regularly between the Pacific Coast and New York are taking out pilot's licenses as fast as they can qualify, and it is expected that before many months there will be little pilotage collected excepting from owners of foreign steamers.

There were four arrivals from foreign ports last month. These were the the British tank steamer De Sabla from Rio Janeiro, the Japanese steamer Amasan Maru and the Norwegian steamer Christian Bors from oriental ports, and the Swedish motorship Malakka from European ports.

Plans of shipowners to employ independent pilotage under the new ordinance were upset by the clause exempting pilotage only upon vessels having masters with pilot's license. Two bills are now in dispute over this clause.

The Luckenbach Steamship Company has objected to the pilotage bill for the steamer Harry Luckenbach, which came into port with Capt. Kelly on the bridge and was taken out by Capt. Roberts. The port warden contends that pilotage should be paid because neither pilot was enrolled as master of the vessel.

CITRUS TRADE JUNKET.

Redlands Man Goes As Secretary For Government's Expert Representative.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EAST HIGHLANDS, Dec. 3.—Paul Edwards, son of J. S. Edwards, manager of the Redlands-Highland Fruit Exchange and also of the Gold Buckle Packing-house here, left tonight for Washington where he will join the man who has been picked the government as the special trade envoy to Brazil, Central and South America. Mr. Edwards will be clerk to the special envoy. He expects to be gone for at least one year and it is probable that two years will be consumed in the work.

The trade agent will visit the South American countries in the interest of the citrus fruit industry of Southern California and also the apple industry. He will make a comprehensive survey of the markets there, looking towards the establishment of greater trade relations between this country and the South American countries. Mr. Edwards's headquarters will be at Rio de Janiero. He is a graduate of California and his father is known as one of the most successful growers and packers of the State.

PAYING PROPOSITION.

Municipal ownership of the water plant in Redlands has been found to be a paying proposition. The Water Commission has recommended to the trustees that there be a reduction in the meter rate from $1 for the first 1000 cubic feet of water used to $1.50 for the first 2000 cubic feet. After this minimum charge the consumer will pay 6 cents per hundred for all water used. G. S. Hinckley, superintendent of the plant, says that it will result in a saving to consumers of about $18,000 per year. The commission also has recommended that meters be established in all parts of the city and the flat rate be done away with.

BATTALION POST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 3.—Fort Rosecrans will become a battalion post soon, according to advices received from Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge. Two companies of Coast artillery and a Coast artillery band will be added to the two companies now at the fort, making a total of nearly 500 men. The post will continue under the command of Lieut.-Col. W. C. Davis. The companies will be the Thirtieth, from Fort Worden, Wash., and the 160th, from Fort Stevens, Oregon. The band is the Thirteenth band of the Coast Artillery Corps, and will come from Fort Dupont, Delaware.

THE TIMES has arranged a daily automobile paper delivery service between Los Angeles and San Diego, delivering papers at San Diego about 7 a.m. daily. Wheeler & Palmer are operating big touring cars in this service, and will carry passengers from San Diego to Los Angeles daily. Persons desiring to make this trip can arrange for it through The Times Agency at San Diego, No. 436 B street.

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[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

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...eclines in some of the obscure ...s were again severe, ranging ... two and one-half to almost six ...nts. The more substantial ad...es included Chicago, Rock Island ... Pacific Railway 4s and 5s, New ... 6s, New York Railway adjust... 5s, and New York, West Chester ... Boston 4½s, the latter recovering ... one-half points of their spec... decline of the mid-year.

...e decision of the exchange to is...daily what in effect amounts to an ... list of transactions in stocks ...rved to stimulate confidence. ... active stocks were added to ...ready large list of securities ...ere in demand at prices well ...e minimum.

...ing the new high price re...y the New York City 6s as a ..., there was an increased in... for almost all classes of short...otes. The $5,000,000 Swedish ...ment loan taken by a financial ... gave every promise of suc... an attractive feature being the ... interest yield. There were many ... of further loans by our bank... foreign governments, but these ... confirmation.

...ey for the shorter dates was ob... at lower rates, and call loans ... down 3½ per cent. The local ... of money indicated that clearing... institutions have lost a consid... sum to the subtreasury owing ... to the heavy payments of spe... revenue taxes and further retire... of emergency currency. Ex... on London was dull and slight...

...onal railway returns from ... showed further heavy losses ... earnings.

CLOSING PRICES.

...sponse to a general demand by ... and their clients, the Stock ... authorities today published ... of stock prices, the first at ... and the other after the close. ...tained minimum and bid and ...tations, and the later list in... prices.

... closing prices, in part, were:

...Beet Sugar	27
...Can	26
...Can, pfd.	89½
...Cotton Oil	33
...Ice Securities	22
...Sugar	102
...Tel. and Tel.	117
...Tobacco, pfd.	103½
...	90
...Steel	42¾
...Rapid Transit	86⅞
...	33¼
...	84½
...	32
... Ore	23½
...	103½
...Met.	11¾
...Har.	92
...	84¼
...	124½
...	120
...	41
...York Central	81
...York, New Haven and H.	51
...rio and Western	20
...olk and Western	96¼
...c Mail	17½
...sylvania	104¾
...'s Gas	116
...	139
... Oil	124½
... Pacific	112¾
... Rubber	46⅛
... Copper	46
...n Union	57¾

...inning tomorrow the exchange ... publish one list embodying these ...tions after the close of business. ... list will be carried on all the ... tickers controlled by the ex...

Washington Gets Convention.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

...NEAPOLIS, Dec. 3.—Washing... D. C., was today selected as the ...onvention city of the National ...ercial Gas Association.

New York Metal Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

... YORK, Dec. 3.—Tin—Firm; ... lots, 33.25@34.25; twenty-five-..., 33.00@34.25. Copper—Firm; ...ytic, 12⅝@13; casting, 12⅝@... Lead—Quiet, 3.75@3.85. Spelter ..., 5.40@5.50.

New York Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

... YORK, Dec. 3.—Butter—Quiet; ... 4002 tubs; ladles, current ...ts, 22½@23; seconds, 21¼@22. ...—Irregular; receipts, 651 boxes; ...hole milk held whites, specials, ...; do., colored, 16; State whole ...ites, fresh specials, 15¼@15½; ...red, 15¼. Eggs—Unsettled; re... 8244 cases; State Pennsylvania ... gathered browns and mixed ...@43.

New York Sugar Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

... YORK, Dec. 3.—Sugar—Raw, ... molasses sugar, 3.30; centrifu... refined, steady.

TURPENTINE AND ROSIN. SAVANNAH QUOTATIONS.

[...T WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

...ANNAH (Ga.) Dec. 3.—Turpen...—Firm, 44½; sales, 128; receipts, ...ments, 1056; stocks, 33,387. ...—Firm; sales, 438; receipts, 1270; ..., 1816; stocks, 126,671. Quo...—A, B, C, D, E, 3.80; F, G, H, ...3.90; K, 4.00; M, 4.60; N, 5.35; ... WW, 5.65.

SAN FRANCISCO SALES. STOCK AND BOND MARKET.

[... WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

...FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE ..., Dec. 3.—Stock and bond ex...: Great Western Power 5s, 2000 ...; California Gas and Electric ...5s, 1000 at 91.25; Omnibus Ca... 2000 at 97.00; Alaska Packers' ... at 77.50; Pacific Gas and Elec... ...25 at 41.00; San Joaquin ...and Power 5s, 2000 at 95.00; ... Pacific R. R. Co. first refund... 1000 at 85.25.

Grain.

SPECULATORS CAUSE SLUMP.

BEARS TAKE PROFITS AND TURN GAIN INTO A LOSS.

Early Sentiment All Favored an Upturn with a Good Foreign Demand, but Realizing by Longs Makes the Close Nearly a Cent Lower—Corn and Oats Weak.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Nov. 3.—Profit taking by longs in wheat today more than wiped out an early advance that was due to higher cables. Closing prices were heavy, ⅝@¾ under last night. Corn suffered a net loss of ⅜@½ to ½@⅝, and oats ⅜@⅝. In provisions the outcome was 2½@10 advance. Depression during the last half of the day in the wheat pit contrasted strongly with the bullish sentiment that prevailed at the start. Foreign news had been almost uniformly in favor of an upturn in values, with Liverpool reporting that offerings there were light and the demand increasingly urgent. Realizing sales that finally swung the wheat market to the bear side came chiefly from speculators who had been active buyers on the recent break. Although corn at first hardened on account of the scantiness of rural offers, the market afterwards sagged with wheat. The short interest appeared to have been eliminated, and the pit was in poor shape to take any considerable amount of selling. Oats merely reflected the action of other grain. Business for the most part was confined to small lots. Provisions continued to ascend regardless of declines in the price of holdings. Much of the buying was on the theory that the breakdown of values at the yards would check the heavy movement of hogs to market.

CLOSING.

Wheat—December, 1.14¼; May, 1.20⅝. Corn—December, 63⅛; May, 68⅝. Oats—December, 47; May, 51⅝. Pork—January, 18.05; May, 18.45. Lard—January, 9.65; May, 9.90. Ribs—January, 9.70; May, 10.02.

CASH GRAIN.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, new, 63¾@64½; No. 3, yellow, new, 61¾@62¾. Rye—No. 2, 1.08½@1.10. Barley—59@75. Timothy—3.75@5.50. Clover, 12.00@14.50.

Grain.

Local Grain Market.

Following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All commodities are sacked unless otherwise specified, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

Utah white milling wheat		$ 1.97½
Utah Turkey milling	$ 2.00	
Utah red feed wheat		1.85
Utah white feed		1.95
Northern Turkey		1.90
No. 1 club		1.95
Sonora		1.95
F. A. Q. Sonora		1.85
Red Russian		1.90
Local dark barley		1.20
Utah barley		1.25
Utah white oats		1.62½
Eastern corn	1.55 @	1.57
Argentine corn		1.60
Egyptian corn		1.52½
Milo maize		1.42½
Utah white bran	28.00 @	28.50
Utah mixed bran		27.50
Utah red bran		26.50
Local white bran		28.50
Local red bran		27.50
Northern bran		26.00
White oats, chopped		19.50

Portland Wheat Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 3.—Wheat—Advancing. Bid prices: Bluestem, 1.17½; forty-fold, 1.16; club, 1.14; red Russian, 1.08; red Fife, 1.10.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—				
May	1.21½	1.21⅝	1.20⅝	**1.20⅝
December	1.15	1.15½	1.14¼	*1.14¼
Corn—				
May	.69⅝	.69⅝	.68⅝	**.68⅝
December	.64	.64	.63	*.63⅛
Oats—				
May	.52⅝	.52⅝	.51⅝	**.51⅝
December	.47⅝	.47⅝	.47	*.47
Pork—				
May	18.35	18.57	18.35	18.45
January	18.02	18.10	18.00	**18.05
Lard—				
May	9.90	9.97	9.87	*9.90
January	9.62	9.72	9.62	**9.65
Ribs—				
May	9.97	10.10	9.97	*10.02
January	9.65	9.77	9.65	*9.70

*Bid. **Asked.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The weight of actual cotton is making itself felt and during today's session of the market hedge selling, though small, was sufficient to cause a slight decline and force the lowest level of prices seen since the exchange opened. Many persons thought that, with a price of 7½ cents for May futures, support would be found in shape of investment buying, and that considerable of the pressure would be relieved. This figure has now been established and there seems no evidence of any buying power. On the other hand, holders of actual cotton seem to be taking advantage of the market open to them and are protecting themselves through this medium, while investment buying has been so small as to be hardly noticeable. After the pressure of spots referred to quite frequently of late has been taken care of by outside capital, which is quite likely to offer around 7 cents for May, there will be a possibility for activity on the long side.

Following is range of quotations:

Option—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close Bid.	Close Ask.
January	7.27	7.27	7.15	7.15	7.16
March	7.45	7.47	7.37	7.37	7.38
May	7.56	7.58	7.49	7.50	....
July	7.74	7.74	7.65	7.65	7.66
October	7.96	7.97	7.90	7.90	7.91
December	7.12	7.12	7.00	6.99	7.00

Market steady.

Chicago Stock Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Sales in the stocks named were made at the following quotations today (only a portion of the total transactions are represented:) American Can com. at 24¾@26; Booth Fisheries com. at 37; Commonwealth Edison at 134¾@135; People's Gas at 116⅞@117; Quaker Oats pfd. at 103½; Sears-Roebuck com. at 169½; Swift & Co. at 105¼@105½; Un. Carbide at 146⅞@147¼; Chicago, Minnesota and St. Paul at 83¾; Goodrich at 26@26½; General Motors com. (closing quotation) at 71½@72½.

Boston Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury building, Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
B. & Gas.	11	13	First Nat.	1 1-16	1 3-16
Bagole	1	1¼	Glfd. Cons.	1⅝	1⅞
Bos. Ely	20	30	Hoton	2	2⅝
Copper M.	1¼	1⅜	McK. Dar.	70	73
Butte & L.	23	29	Nev. Doug.	58	63
Cactus	—	4	Baltic	99	100¼
Calaveras	95	100	Ohio	13	14
Cal. Corten.	9	11	Oneco	70	—
Chief	85	95	Raven	10	15
Cons. Ariz.	38	—	Sup. & C.	—	8
Cortez	20	30	Stewart	1⅝	2
Crown R.	80	90	S. Lake	4	—
Davis Daly.	80	88	Tonopah	6⅜	7
B. Bell	90	100	Verde	2	2 1-16
Ely Cons.	—	4	Yukon	2	2⅜
Ely Witch.	—	4			

NEVADA MINING STOCKS. CLOSING PRICES AND SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Stocks.

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Tonopah—			Diamondfield	5	—
Belmont	465	470	D. B. Butte	5	6
Cash Boy Con.	3	4	Florence	56	58
Halifax	35	36	Glfd. Con. Mines	155	160
J. Butler	76	77	Glfd. Kew.	13	14
MacNamara	5	6	Glfd. Mer.	33	35
Midway	9	10	Grandma	6	7
Miz. Ex.	32	34	Great Bend	7	8
Monarch P.	3	4	Jumbo Ex.	10	2212½
Montana	35	40	Lone Star	7	8
N. Star	16	17	Oro	10	11
Rescue E.	8	9	S. Kendall	7	8
Tono. Ex.	275	—	S. Pick	13	14
Tono. Mer.	39	40	Spearhead	14	15
Tono. of N.	700	—	Vernal	—	10
Victor	17	20	Yellow T.	4	6
W. End	63	65	Manhattan—		
Goldfield—			M. B. Four.	5	8
Atlanta	33	34	Mal. Con.	5	6
Blue Bell	4	5	M. W. Cape	5	7
Blue Bull	4	5	Other Districts—		
Booth	9	10	Nev. Hills	—	40
C. O. D.	7	8	Rd. Mtn.	35	36
Col. Mtn.	2	3			
Comb. F.	9	10			
Crackerjack	2	4			

SALES.

Regular session: Atlanta, 5500 at .36; 3000 at .37, 300 at 38; Belmont, 60 at 4.25; Blue Bell, 3500 at .05, 1000 at .04; Blue Bull reorg., 7000 at .06; Booth reorg., 5000 at .10; Cash Boy Con., 1000 at .04; C.O.D., 4000 at .09; Columbia Mountain, 1500 at .04; Combination Fraction, 2000 at .10; Conqueror Con., 2000 at .04; Crackerjack, 500 at .03; D. Black Butte, 1000 at .06; Florence, 100 at .60, 400 at .59; Goldfield Merger, 5000 at .35; Grandma, 2000 at .07; Great Bend, 3000 at .07; Jumbo Extension, 300 at 2.50, 500 at 2.60, 500 at 2.55, 500 at 2.57½; Kewanas, 2000 at .19, 2000 at .20; Lone Star Con., 2000 at .09; Midway, 2000 at .09; North Star, 1000 at .18; Oro, 1000 at 11, 1000 at .12; Pittsburgh S. Peak, 100 at .16; Red Hills, 1000 at .02, 1000 at .03; Red Top Extension, 2000 at .01; Sandstorm Kendall, 2000 at .09; Silver Pick Con., 2500 at .17; Spearhead Gold, 2500 at .20, 3500 at .19, 1000 at .19; Tonopah Merger, 400 at .40, 1000 at .39; Yellow Tiger, 1000 at .06.

Informal sessions: Atlanta, 1000 at .37, 3000 at .36, 1000 at .36, 1000 at .36, 1000 at .37, 3000 at .35, 1500 at .34, 1000 at .33, 1500 at .32, 2000 at .33, 1000 at .32, 2000 at .31, 2000 at .32, 2000 at .33, 2000 at .33; Belmont, 300 at 4.65, 100 at 4.65; Blue Bell, 3000 at .05, 500 at .04, 3000 at .05; Blue Bull reorg., 3000 at .06, 1000 at .05, 5000 at .05, 3000 at .06, 1000 at .05, 3000 at .05, 1000 at .05; Booth reorg., 2000 at .10, 10,000 at .10, 2000 at .10, 1000 at .09, 2000 at .10, 2000 at .10, 3000 at .09; Cash Boy Con., 2000 at .03; C. O. B., 500 at .09, 1000 at .09, 1000 at .09, 1000 at .09, 2000 at .08; Columbia Mountain, 1000 at .02; Combination Fraction, 500 at .10, 2000 at .10, 1500 at .10, 1000 at .10; Crackerjack, 2000 at .03, 5000 at .04, 500 at .03; Florence, 200 at .58; Diamondfield Black Butte, 1000 at .05, 1500 at .05; Goldfield Con., 300 at 1.60, 200 at 1.60, 500 at 1.60, 100 at 1.55; Goldfield Merger, 2000 at .35, 2000 at .36, 2000 at .36, 2000 at .35, 1000 at .35, 2500 at .35, 1000 at .34, 1000 at .34, 1000 at .33, 2000 at .33, 3000 at .33, 2000 at .33, 1000 at 32, 1000 at .32, 1000 at .33, 2000 at .34, 1000 at .33, 2000 at .34; Grandma, 2000 at .07, 1000 at .07, 3000 at .06, 1000 at .07; Great Bend, 1000 at .08, 500 at .08, 2000 at .08; Halifax, 500 at .35; Jim Butler, 500 at .79, 1000 at .78; Jumbo Ex., 2200 at 2.50, 1000 at 2.50, 500 at 2.50, 200 at 2.52½, 800 at 2.50, 1000 at 2.50, 100 at 2.45, 100 at 2.42½, 100 at 2.40, 500 at 2.45, 500 at 2.47½, 1000 at 2.50, 100 at 2.45, 100 at 2.42½, 400 at 2.40, 400 at 2.40, 100 at 2.35, 200 at 2.40, 500 at 2.35, 300 at 2.30, 100 at 2.27½, 400 at 2.25, 100 at 2.20, 100 at 2.17½, 500 at 2.30, 800 at 2.25, 400 at 2.20, 500 at 2.20, 300 at 2.22½, 1500 at 2.20, 100 at 2.15, 500 at 2.10; Kewanas, 2000 at .20, 2000 at .19, 2000 at 19, 1000 at .18, 2000 at .17, 2000 at .17, 14,000 at .16, 4000, buyer 30, at .17; 5000 at .16, 2500 at .15, 7000 at .14; Lone Star Con., 1000 at .09, 3000 at .09, 3000 at .08, 5000 at .08; MacNamara, 5000 at .05, 2000 at .05; Manhattan Con., 4000 at .05, 500 at .05, 2000 at .05, 500 at .05; Midway, 2000 at .10, 500 at .10, 1500 at .09; Mizpah Extension, 500 at .31; 200 at .31; North Star, 2000 at .18; 2000 at .18; 1000 at .19; 1000 at .18; 1000, buyer 30, at .19, 2000 at .18, 500 at .18, 1000 at .17, 500 at .17; Oro, 1000 at .13, 2500 at .12, 2000 at .12, 1500 at .10, 1500 at .10, 3000 at .10; Red Top Extension, 2500 at .01, 1000 at .01; Red Hills, 3000 at .02; Round Mountain, 3000 at .33; Sandstorm Kendall, 5000 at .09; 1000 at .09, 2000 at .08; Savage, 300 at .11; Silver Pick Con., 5000 at .16, 2000, buyer 30, at .17; 3000 at .15, 2000 at .13, 1000 at .15, 2000 at .14, 2000 at .13, 300 at .16, 1000 at .14, 4000 at .13, 2000 at .13, 2000, buyer 30, at .14; 1000 at .14; Spearhead Gold, 2000 at .20, 1000 at .19, 2000 at .20, 1000 at .19, 1000 at .18, 2000 at .18, 1000 at .17, 1000 at .18, 1000 at .17, 1000 at .15, 1000 at .16, 4000 at .15, 8000 at .14, 7000 at .13, 500 at .15, 1000 at .15, 3000 at .15, 5000 at .14; Tonopah Merger, 1500 at .40, 2000 at .40, 500 at .39, 3000 at .40; Victor, 500 at .19; Yellow Tiger, 5000, buyer 30, at .07; 2000 at .06, 2000 at .05, 1000 at .05.

SAN FRANCISCO MARKET. FRUITS, GRAIN AND PRODUCE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Barley—Feed, 1.17½@1.22½; shipping and brewing, 1.23¾@1.27½.

Receipts—Flour, 16,465 quarters; barley, 7165 centals; potatoes, 4775 sacks; hay, 311 tons; hides, 835; wine, 31,700 gallons.

Beans—Large white, 4.30@4.40; small white, southern, 4.50@4.60; calabayos, 5.25@5.35.

Potatoes—Salinas Burbanks, 1.50@1.70; do., Oregon, 1.35@1.65.

Vegetables—Cucumbers, delta, 35@50; string and wax beans, 4@7.

New York Bond Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 116 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Sales of bonds named were made at the following quotations today (only a portion of the total transactions are represented:) Atchison, Topeka and Santa Fe 4s at 90½; Brooklyn Rapid Transit 4s at 98⅜@98½; Baltimore and Ohio Conv. at 84; Baltimore and Ohio 4s at 87⅝; Erie Gen. Mtg. 4s at 64½@64⅝; Chicago, Burlington and Quincy 5s at 94½; Interboro 4½s at 74¼@74¾; Missouri-Pacific Conv. at 36; New York Central 3½s at 78½; Norfolk and Western 4s at 92; New Haven 6s at 97½; Northern Pacific 4s at 88⅜; do., 3s at 63¼@63½; Pennsylvania Conv. at 99; Reading 4s at 92⅛@92¼; Rock Island 5s at 52@53; do., refdg. at 65½@66¼; do., 4s at 20½@20⅝; Southern Pacific 5s at 94¼@94½; do., 4s at 84⅝@85; Chicago, Minnesota and St. Paul Conv. 5s at 94¼@94½; do., 4s at 84¾@85; do., Conv. Con. Gen. Mtg. 4½s at 97¼; Southern Ry. 4s at 66; do., 5s at 97⅞; Union Pacific Conv. 4s at 94⅝@95½; Wabash 4s at 32½; Beth. Steel 5s at 85⅝; United States 5s at 99⅞; Ligget & Myers 7s at 120; American Tel. and Tel. 4½s at 95¼; Texas Co. Conv. 6s at 94⅝@95; Third Ave. 4s at 79¼; Cen. Leather 5s at 97¼@97⅜; United States Rubber 6s at 101; Westinghouse Conv. at 89¼.

New York Coffee Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Opening quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
December	5.42	5.44
January	5.50	5.60
March	5.65	5.70
May	5.83	5.84
July	6.55	6.56
September	6.73	6.78
October	6.78	6.85

London Metal Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

LONDON, Dec. 3.—Spot copper closed strong at £56 10s, up 7s 6d, and futures at £56 12s 6d, up 7s 6d; electrolytic at £59 10s, up 5s. Spot tin closed strong at £147 10s, up £3, and futures at £145 15s, up £3. Lead was steady at £19, and spelter at £26 5s, both unchanged.

Chicago Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Butter—Unchanged. Eggs—Receipts, 4818 cases; unchanged.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 4, 1914.

Bank clearings yesterday were $3,407,077.19, a decrease of $1,980,688.15, compared with the same day last year, and a decrease of $967,219.27, compared with the same day in 1912.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Monday	$3,174,104.57	$4,535,646.85	$4,654,905.42
Tuesday	3,539,336.92	4,190,874.91	4,785,175.14
Wednesday	4,528,979.17	4,709,042.72	5,187,081.02
Thursday	3,407,077.19	5,387,765.34	5,374,296.46

New York Money Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Closing: Mercantile paper, 4½@5 per cent. Sterling exchange, heavy; sixty-day bills, 4.86; for cables, 4.88 85-100; for demand, 4.88 35-100. Bar silver, 49⅞.

Drafts and Silver.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Nov. 3.—Silver bars, 49⅞; Mexican dollars, nominal; drafts, telegraph, 2.

COMMERCIAL.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Late Howe cranberries were advanced to $9 and $9.25 per barrel, the market going up because of an increasing demand and particularly because the final early Howe berries have been shipped and cleaned up. The supply is still coming from the Cape Cod region, but some berries are expected here from Wisconsin before Christmas. There are a few berries grown in Oregon, but the shipping industry there has not arrived at the point where growers are distributing over a very wide territory. A few of the berries have come to Los Angeles in two seasons past, more as samples than for commercial distribution. There are still strawberries to call for. They vary widely in range of price from day to day, according to the receipts.

Prices on oranges declined perceptibly, good packed fruit selling as low as $2.25 a box. The arrivals of tangerines have been on the increase and the market is now well supplied with that dainty citrus fruit, which is selling from $1.75 to $1.90 per packed half orange box. Lemons showed a slight decline, but grapefruit was firm. Limes were a trifle higher.

The first increase in the price of Bellefleurs since the season of that fruit started was yesterday announced, high-grade stock being advanced to $1 per box on the three and one-half and four-tier sizes. Other apples remained at the same figure, but were firm and may go up shortly. Receipts of the fruit totaled 6133 boxes.

Local egg receipts were very light, only ninety-eight cases, but the market was unchanged. Butter receipts were 30,480 pounds. The call for this commodity was normal. Eastern cheese was in good demand. Receipts were 1200 pounds. Potato arrivals were only 1734 sacks, and because of the lighter arrivals for several days past the market is showing a better feeling. Onion receipts were 1823 sacks. The higher quotation on these has brought in considerable stock during the past two days. There were no changes in beans or sweet potatoes.

Celery has been very plentiful and a slight decline was registered yesterday in that product. Cauliflower is moving freely and unchanged. Other vegetables are in good call.

Prices Current.

Following are jobbing quotations unless otherwise specified:

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 40; candled, 44; Petaluma-Santa Rosa, extras, 44; northern, case count, 43.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 30 per lb.; firsts, 28; country, 23; ladies, 22. The jobbing price is from 3 to 4 cents higher than above quotations.

CHEESE—California fresh, 14½@15; eastern daisies, 18@18½; eastern twins, 17@17½; longhorns, 18@18½; Oregon triplets, 17@17½; imported Swiss, 38@40; domestic Swiss, block, 20@21; Limburger, 20@22; Edam, 8.00@8.50; Sierra, 1.10@1.20; Canada cream, 95@1.00; Roquefort, 38@40; German breakfast, 90; cream brick, 19@20.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navels, 2.25@2.35; lemons, packed, 2.65@2.75; loose, 2.00@2.25; juice, 1.25@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 2.50@2.75; tangerines, 1.75@1.90 per box; limes, 75@1.00 basket.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, Bellefleurs, 90@1.00; Jonathans, Oregon, 1.35@1.50; Washington, 1.50@1.65; Utah, 1.35@1.50; Spitzenbergs, 1.25@1.35; Roman Beauties, 1.35@1.50; Pearmains, 75@90; bananas, 3½@4; pineapples, 6@6½; casabas, 1.40@1.65 per dozen; watermelons, 1¼@2 lb.; figs, 1.85@2.10 per two-layer box; grapes, per lug box: Tokays, 1.35@1.50; Red Emperors, 1.40@1.60; Cornichons, 1.25@1.30; Malagas, 1.25@1.35 per crate; Winter Nellis, 1.50 per lug; 2.50 per packed box; Flemish Beauty, 1.85@2.00 packed box; persimmons, 3@7 per lb.; pomegranates, 1.50@1.75 per box.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 7@9 basket; cranberries, Late Howe, 9.00@9.25; guavas, 3@4 per basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Beets, 30@35 doz.; carrots, 30@35 doz.; oyster plant, 30@35 doz.; turnips, 30@35 doz.; leeks, 35@40 doz.; parsnips, 25@30 doz.; peas, 7@10 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; cabbage, 65@75; lettuce, 90@1.10 crate; escarole, 40 doz.; green onions, 15@20 doz.; mint, 35@40 doz.; artichokes, 75@1.00 doz.; peppers, 3@5; chile peppers, 4@5 per lb.; rhubarb, 80@85 per box; cucumbers, hothouse, 75@1.50; horseradish, 15@16; summer squash, 60@75 per lug; crookneck squash, 30@40; Hubbard squash, 1¼@1½ lb.; tomatoes, 70@80 lug; celery, northern, 2.00@2.25 a crate; local, 1.65@1.75 crate; string beans, 5@7; lima beans, 5@6; eggplant 4@5; cauliflower, 50@60 per doz.; okra, 9@10; pumpkins, 1¼@2 lb.

POTATOES — Northern Burbanks, 1.20@1.30 per cwt.; Shimas, 1.35@1.45; Salinas, 1.90@2.00; Lompocs, 1.90@2.00; Idaho spuds, 1.15@1.25; sweets, 75@85 lug; 1.50@1.65 cwt.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 4.15@4.25; Lady Washington, 5.15@5.25; small whites, 4.90@5.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.60@5.75; Garvanzas, 6.00@7.50; black eyes, 4.90@5.25; lentils, 8.00@9.00.

RICE—Per 100 lbs.: head, 5.50@6.00; blue rose head, 5.25@5.50; Japanese, 4.50@4.75; California, 4.75@5.00; Siam, 5.00; broken, 3.50@3.75.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 15; loose, 14; chile telpins, 1.00 lb.; ground chile, 10@12; Japanese, 16; corn husks, 10; do., cut, 12; onions, White Globes, 2.25@2.45 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.35@1.50; Yellow Danvers, 1.35@1.50; garlic, 14@16.

HONEY — Comb, fancy water white, 14; white, 12; light amber, 11; extracted, light amber, 5½; white, 6; water white, 7; beeswax, 32 per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—(25-lb. boxes; faced 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 6¼@6½; ex. choice, 7; fancies, 7½; apricots, choice, 8½; extra choice, 9; fancy, 10. Currants, bulk, bbls., 10½; 60 16-oz. packages 11½; 50 12-oz. packages, 8½. Nectarines, 12½; pears, 8@12; plums, 10; peaches, choice, 5½; fancy, 6; prunes, 20-30s, 17; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 9¼@9½; 50-60s, 8½; 60-70s, 8¼; 70-80s, 7⅞; 80-90s, 6¼; 90-100s, 5⅜; figs, 1.25 10-lb. layer box.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz., choice, 7@8; fancy, 7¼@8¼; 45 12-oz., choice, 6@6½; Not-a-seed, 36 16-oz., 8⅝; 2-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 6; 3-crown, loose, 50-lb. box, 6¼; 4-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 7¼; Sultana, unbleached, 6¼; bleached seedless, 11½@12; Thompson seedless, 36 1s, 8¼@9; 2-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.45@1.55 box; 3-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.75 box; 4-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.00 box; 5-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.50@2.75 box; 6-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 3.00@3.25 box. Figs, white, 12 12-oz. cartons, 85; do., 16-oz. cartons, 90; do., 12 16-oz. cartons, 1.10; do., 50 6-oz. cartons, 1.80; loose, black, 25-lb. box, 6@6½ lb.; loose, white, 25-lb. box, 8¼@9 lb.; imported, 18@20 lb. Dates, Golden, 60-lb. boxes, new, 7½ lb.; Golden, pkgs., 9 lb.; Fards, 60-lb. boxes, 11 lb.; Fards, 12s, 12½@13 lb.

NUTS—New Almonds, fancy, IXL, 21@22; Ne Plus Ultra, 20@21; thinshell Drakes, 15@16; hardshells, 14@15; cocoanuts, per dozen; filberts, 15; pecans, large, 17; peanuts, California raw, 6; eastern, 7½; Japan, 7¼; rice corn, 5.00@5.25; walnuts, budded, 21½@22; jumbos, 19½@20; softshell, No. 1, 17@18; softshell, No. 2, 14; unbleached, 13@14.

LOCAL PRODUCE. FURTHER MARKET QUOTATIONS.

POULTRY — Prices to producers: Broilers, 24; fryers, 20; roasters, 15; old cocks, 9; hens, 15@18; turkeys, 18@20; ducks, 17, geese, 14; squabs, pigeons, doz., 2.00.

Provision List.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Pacific Coast Beef and Provision Company:) Steers, 6½@7; heifers, 5½@6; cows, 5@5½; bulls, 4@4½; wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 4.00@4.25; lambs, 3.50@4.00; yearlings, 4.25@4.50; hogs, 7.00@8.00.

LAMBS — Lambs, plain, 15; do., caul, 14½; lamb racks, 19; trimmed lambs, 18; fore lambs, 13; hind lambs, 17; loins, 19; legs, 14; shoulder and breast, 12; No. 2 lambs, 14.

MUTTON — Yearlings, 12; wethers, 12; ewes, 11; racks, 14; legs, 13; loins, 14½; saddles, 12½; trimmed mutton, 13½; fore quarters, mutton, 9½; shoulder and breast, 9; No. 2 mutton wether, 11; No. 2 mutton ewes, 10; tongues, each, 2½; plux, each, 8; heads, skinned, each, 8; brains, each, 5; hearts, each, 2½.

BEEF — (Furnished by Cudahy Packing Company:) No. 1 steers, 12; medium steers, 11¾; No. 1 cows, 11½; medium cows, 11¼; steer hind quarters, No. 1, 13; do., medium, 12½; cows, hind quarters, 12; fore quarters, 10½; do., kosher, 10; good bulls, 10; No. 2 bulls, 9½; short loins, 17; pin bone loins, 18; loins, No. 1, 15; do., medium, 14; cow loins, 13; ribs, No. 1 8-rib cut, 14; do., 7-rib cut, 16; ribs, medium, 13; cow ribs, 13; loin butts, 14; short chux, 10½; full chux, 10¼; triangles, 10; plates, 9½; steer rounds and rumps, 13; do., rumps off, 14; do., butt on, 13½; heifer rounds, 12½; tenderloins, fresh, 30; do., frozen, 25; shoulder clods, 16; boned chux, 12@12½; shanks, 5; flank steak, 15; whole flanks, 11; do., fat off, 12½; beef suet, 10; cod fat, 8; sweetbreads, fresh, 25; do., frozen, 10-lb. tins, 25; fresh tongues, 17; pickled tongues, 18; cooked tripe, 4; cleaned tripe, 3; hearts, 8; livers, fresh, 10; do., frozen, 10; ox tails, fresh, each, 8½; do., frozen, lb., 8; brains, each, 8; kidneys, each, 8; feet, 10; heads (barbecue,) each, 3.00.

VEAL—120 lbs. and under, 17; 121 to 150 lbs., 16½; 151 lbs. and up, 16; sides 60 lbs. and under, 17; 61 to 80 lbs., 16½; 81 lbs. and up, 16; hinds, 45 lbs. and under, 20; do., 46 lbs. and up, 19; fore quarters, 45 lbs. and under, 13; do., 46 lbs. and up, 12.

PORK—Dressed hogs, head on, 14; do., heads off, 15; trimmed hogs, 16½; loins, fresh, 20½; do., Diamond C, frozen, short, 20; legs, fresh, 15¼; shoulders, fresh, 13½; picnics, fresh, 12½; butts, 13@14½; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 12; trimmings, 12; tenderloins, fresh, 35; do., 10-lb. tins, frozen, 32½; spare ribs, 13; do., frozen, 12; heads, per lb., 7; backfat, 11½; tails, 9; do., frozen, 9; neck bones, 6; pigs' feet, 4; hearts, per lb., 8; livers, each, 5; kidneys, per lb., 6; tongues, per lb., 10; snouts, per lb., 5; ears, per lb., 3½; chitterlings, 5; brains, each, 2; jowls, 10.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers.) Extra fancy, 20½; fancy, 19½; medium, 18½; smoked and boiled, fancy, 30½; fancy boiled, 30½; medium boiled, 29½; boneless, 31½; picnics, boned and tied, 15½.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 4-6, 30; 6-8, 29; extra fancy, 6-8, 26@26½; 8-10, 25; 10-12, 24½; medium, 8-10, 24½; 10-12, 23½; 12-14, 22; narrow, 22; strips, 16½; backs, 19; briskets, 15½.

LARD—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 14; fancy, 13; medium, 12@12½; suetene in tierces, 10; shortening, 12½; lard compound, 8½.

SAUSAGE—Fresh pork, links, 14; fresh pork, bulk, 14; Clubhouse, 14; Spanish style pork, 14½; garlic, 12½; blood, 11½; liver, 11½; headcheese in casings, 11½; sour headcheese in 4-lb. blocks, $3; Frankfurt sausage, 13; bologna, 11½; bologna in paraffine sacks, 11½; Coney Island, Frankfurt style, 13; Metwurst, 16; minced sausage in bladders, 15½; minced sausage in bungs, 15½; luncheon loaf with tongue, 21; Berlin style, 17.

SUMMER SAUSAGE — *Margherita Milano salami, 29; *Salami, Italian style, 28; *Italian cervelat, 25; *American cervelat, 23; *salami, German style, 26; *American salami, German style, 24; farmer style, 21; Holsteiner, 20*.

*Above in case lots, 1 cent less.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D. S. bellies, 15; D. S. fat backs, 12½; D. S. clear backs, 14; D. S. extras, 15; smoked butts, 20; backs, 20; beef, tongues, 19; do., smoked, 32; insides, 31; outsides, 23.

PICKLED MEATS—Pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; do., ¼ bbls., 2.75; do., ½ bbls., 5.25; do., bbls., 12.50; H. C. tripe, kits, 1.15; do., ¼ bbls., 2.60; do., ½ bbls., 5.00; do., bbls., 12.00; lamb tongues, kits, 2.50; ¼ bbls., 6.00; ½ bbls., 12.75; bbls., 32.00; plate beef, ½ bbls., 10.00; bbls., 19.00.

SUGAR—Prices quoted below are for Los Angeles. Pomona country list is 5c higher; Colton city list is 20c higher; Colton country list is 17½c higher. Prices are based on sacks; bbls. add 10c; ¼ bbls., 25c and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25 cents per cwt. 15 days. Beet, gran., 5.70; standard cane, 5.90; standard berry, 5.90; cubes, (sacks,) 6.15; cubes, (5-lb. boxes,) 6.45; candy gran., 6.05; powdered, 6.00; Cons. A., 5.90; extra C, 5.40; Golden C, 5.30; D, 5.20; Dominoes, 3s, 10.20; Dominoes, 2s, 10.60; Superior, 7x, powdered, bbls., 6.65; Superior, 7x, powdered, ½ bbls., 6.80; Superior, 7x, powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar, bbls., 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar, ½ bbls., 7.20; Superior, 7x, bar, 35-lb. tins, 8.75; Superior, 7x, 30-lb. boxes, 7.55.

SALT—(San Pedro Salt Co.) Blue Cross, cartons, 48 2s, 1.60; do., cartons, 20 5s, 1.40; Angelus, bales, all sizes, 1.65; Blue Cross table salt, 150-lb. bales, 75 2s, 50 3s, 30 5s, 15 10s, 6 25s, bale, 1.75; Blue Cross dairy, 50s, 16.00 ton; Angelus dairy, 50s, 15.00 ton; Wilmington table, 50s, 15.00 ton; ½ ground and ice cream, 50s, 10.00 ton; do., 10s, 9.50 ton; rock, 50s, 10.00 ton; do., 100s, 9.50 ton; hide, 167s, 8.75 ton. Kansas Salt, R.S.V.P., 20 5s, 2.90; do., 36 2s, 2.50; Purity, 28 2s, 200; Seal, 36 2s, 1.35; Wyandotte, 62 3s, 3.20 bale; 54 3½s, 3.25 bale; 23 8s, 3.25 bale; 18 10s, 2.95 bale; 125 3s, 6.25 bale; 25 10s, 5.95 bale; Riverside or Perfection, 86 1¾s, 2.50 bale; 38 4s, 2.40 bale; 15 10s, 2.35 bale; ice cream, 20 10s, 3.00 bale; Ashland dairy, 50s, 28.00 ton; lump, 280s, 3.00 bbl.; kiln dried, 50s, 65; lump, rock stock, 25.00 ton. Quantity prices, one or assorted, miscellaneous sale: White Crystal, 36 2s, 1.35 case; do., 15 5s, 1.15 case. (One case free with 5.) Shaker, 24 pkgs., 1.80; Sunflower, 50 shakers, 1.55; D. C. table, 24 3s, 2.10; Diamond Crystal, 30 8s, 5.23; do., 100 3s, 5.50; do., 200 1½s, 5.75; D. C. cooking, 24 3s, 1.80; Worcester brand, Ivory salt, 24 2½ cartons, 1.75; bbls., 100 3-lb. sacks, 5.60; do., 70 4-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 60 5-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 20 ½-lb. sacks, 4.75; do. 30 10-lb. sacks, 4.75.

GRAIN AND FEED — Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meals, 1.20; alfalfa molasses, 1.25; granulated, 2.65; bone meals, 1.90; blood meals, 3.45; XXXX beef scraps, 3.10; barley, rolled, 1.40; charcoal, 2.30; XXXX chick feed, 3.10; do., bale of 20 5-lb. bags, 3.00; corn, eastern whole, 2.30; corn, whole, yellow, 2.20; whole white corn, 2.30; corn, cracked, 2.25; XXXX dry mash, (a superior egg food,) per 90-lb. sacks, Kaffir corn, 2.20; Egyptian corn, 1.80; 2.00; grit, granite, 80; mill, 3.15; red feed oats, 1.95; white feed oats, 1.90; rolled oats, 1.95; feed meal, 2.30; cheap oats, 1.75; clam shells, 65; oyster shell, 1.30; scratch feed, 95@2.20; bran, 1.55; shorts, 1.85; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 2.25; milo maize, 1.85; oilcake meals, 2.05; rye seed, 1.95; cracked, 2.20.

WHEAT FLOUR.—Quoted by bbls.; Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 7.00; Aurora, 6.30; Trophy, 5.20; No. 1 hard bakers' 6.80; bakers' extra bd. and Cal. wheat blend, 6.60; Our Giant, 6.50; Eclipse, 6.00. Los Angeles Milling Co., Forex, 7.00 per bbl.; Purity, 6.30; Morning Glory, 5.10; Just Right, bakers' flour, 6.80; Forex bakers' extras, 6.60; bakers' pastry, 6.00.

	5-lb.	10-lb.	25-lb.	50-lb.
Cornmeal, white	3.80	3.60	3.50	3.40
Cornmeal, yellow	3.60	3.40	3.30	3.20
Graham flour	3.80	3.60	3.50	3.40
Buckwheat flour	5.15	4.95	4.85	4.75
Rye flour or meal	3.90	3.70	3.60	3.50
Oatmeal, steel cut	5.30	5.10	5.00	4.90
Oatmeal, ground	5.30	5.10	5.00	4.90
Hominy, large, small	4.30	4.10	4.00	3.90
Cracked wheat	4.30	4.10	4.00	3.90
Entire wheat flour	3.90	3.70	3.60	3.50
Pearl barley	6.80	6.60	6.50	6.40
Split peas, yellow	7.90	7.70	7.60	7.50
Split peas, green	7.90	7.70	7.60	7.50
Farina	4.40	4.20	4.10	4.00

	5-lb.	10-lb.	25-lb.	50-lb.
Nutri Germ	4.80	4.60	4.50	4.46

HAY—Alfalfa, 10.00@13.00 a ton; barley hay, 12.00@16.00; tame oat hay, 13.00@16.00; timothy hay, 14.00@17.00; wheat hay, 10.00@14.00; straw, 6.00@9.00.

Oil List.

Pearl Oil or Union, water white iron bbls. and wagons	$ .09
Pearl oil or Union, water white, cases, 5s	.16
Elaine oil, cases, 2 5s	.26½
Eocene oil, cases, 2 5s	.19
Aurora Headlight in cases	.19
V. M. & P. naphtha, iron bbls., drums	.12½
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	.19½
Red Crown and Union gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.12½
Red Crown and Union gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.19½
Union benzine, iron bbls and tank wagons	.11½
G. M. gasoline, in bbls	.37
G. M. gasoline, in cases	.44½
Union G. M. gasoline, in bbls. or tank wagons	.33
Union G. M. gasoline, in cases	.40
Engine distillate, cases, 2 5s	.06
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls	.57
Linseed oil, raw, in cases, 2 5s	.62
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls	.59
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	.64
Turpentine, in iron bbls	.62
Turpentine, in cases	.69

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Anglo-Amer.	14¼	14⅝	Solar	232	240
Atlantic	560	675	S. Pipe	194	196
Borne S.	260	280	S. P. Oil	268	275
Buckeye	110	113	S. P. Pipe	113	118
C'brough	640	660	S. Oil Cal.	308	312
Colonial	90	105	S. Oil Ind.	478	485
Continental	220	225	S. Oil Kan.	350	360
Crescent	38	42	S. Oil Ky.	250	260
Cum'land	53	58	S. Oil Neb.	350	360
Eureka	230	240	S. Oil N. Y.	192	196
Galena	170	175	S. Oil Ohio	415	430
Do. pfd.	138	145	Swan & F.	160	170
Ind. Pipe	96	100	Union T.	85	89
Nat. Tran.	37	38	Vacuum	205	211
N. Y. Tran.	235	240	Wash'ton	40	45
N. Pipe	96	98	Waters P.	13	16
Ohio Oil	186	189	S. Oil N. J.	402	406
Prairie	428	434			

California Oil Stocks.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Oil stocks:

Stocks—	Close Bid.	Close Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	70.00	.....
Coalinga Central	.10	.....
Coalinga Mohawk	.35	.....
Pacific Crude Oil	.....	.20
Shawmut	.....	.50
United Oil	.....	45.00

SALES—Stock and Bond Exchange: 100 Associated Oil at 37.25.

New York General Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Wheat—Spot, irregular. Hops—Quiet. Hides—Steady. Wool—Steady.

California Dried Fruit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Nov. 3.—Evaporated apples—Quiet. Prunes—Firm. Apricots and peaches—Steady. Raisins—Firm.

San Francisco Dairy Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Butter—Fancy creamery, 30; seconds, 27. Eggs—Fancy ranch, 42½; pullets, 32½. Cheese—New, 10@13½.

Callboard Sales.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—Wheat—Firmer. Barley—Steady; May, 1.33⅝; cash, feed, 1.17½@1.22½; shipping and brewing, 1.22½@1.27½. Afternoon session: Wheat—Firmer. Barley—Steady; December, 1.24¼ bid, 1.25 asked; May, 1.34.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Three cars Valencias, two lemons sold. Market strong on fancy Valencias, easier on choice stock; easier on lemons, 300s size; 360s, firm. Fair weather.

VALENCIAS.

	Avge.
Old Mission, xf, Chapman	$5.90
Old Mission, fy, Chapman	5.20
Golden Eagle, sd, Chapman	3.65
Robin Hood, O. R. Ex., McPherson	6.20
Wm. Tell, O. R. Ex.	4.95
Golden Beaver, O. R. Ex.	4.05
Quality, S. T., Nordhoff	3.75
Campfire, S. T., Nordhoff	2.00

LEMONS.

La Habra	$2.55
Reliable	2.40
Kaweah Maid	2.65

All vent.

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 3.—One car lemons sold. Cool, cloudy. Fifteen cars of Floridas sold. Market lower. Florida oranges sold $1.40 to $4.55, averaging $1.90. Grapefruit, $1.15 to $2.25, averaging $1.80.

LEMONS.

Rey, S. T. Ex., Fernando	$2.75
Tunnel	$2.35

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 3.—One car oranges, one car lemons sold. Cloudy, cool. Market is unchanged on oranges, easier on lemons.

LEMONS.

Dan Patch, S. B., Bloomington	$2.80
Pony, S. B., Bloomington	2.35

VALENCIAS.

Quality, S. T., Nordhoff	$4.05

CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS. SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.

	Oranges.	Lemons.	Ttl.
December 2	13	10	23
Total to date this season	315	316	631
Total to same date last season	86	89	175
Total to same date two years ago	383	280	663
TULARE COUNTY.			
December 1	147	0	147
Total to date this season	1160	65	1225
Total to same date last season	1753	11	1764
BUTTE COUNTY.			
December 1	8	0	8
Total to date this season	154	0	154
Total to same date last season	100	0	100

Chicago Citrus Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 3.—Pacific Slope green fruits: Lemons—Boxes, 3.00@4.00. Apples—barrel, 2.00@4.50. Oranges—Box, 2.50@4.50. Grapefruit—Box, 1.75@2.50. Pears—Barrel, 1.75@3.00. Grapes—Pony basket, Catawbas, 8@11. Cranberries—Barrel, 4.00@7.50. Pineapples—Case, 2.75@3.50. Strawberries—10@20 per pint.

New York Curb Stocks.

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NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—Closing quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Beaver	18	23	Do. pfd.	85	100
Belmont	4½	4½	Man. Tran.	½	⅝
Braden Cop.	6⅛	6½	Marconi	2⅞	3⅛
Braden 6s	125	150	Mason Val.	⅝	1⅛
British Col.	½	1	McK. Dar.	68	73
Can. Cop.	1	1¼	Mines of A.	2⅜	2⅝
Con. Ariz.	7-16	½	Mont. Ton.	37	40
Copper M.	1½	1⅝	Mix. Ex.	40	45
Davis Daly.	⅝	1	Nev. Hills	41	47
El Paso	1	2	Nipissing	5¾	5⅞
First Nat.	⅝	1⅛	N. Star	17	20
Florence	58	62	Ohio Cop.	10	17
Glfd. Con.	1 9-16	1 11-16	Tob. Prod. pfd.	82	86
Greene Can.	23	26	Tonopah	6⅝	7⅛
Hollinger	18	20	Tono. Ex.	2⅝	3⅛
Halifax	30	37	Tono. Mer.	38	42
Iron Blos.	110	125	W. End	65	[illegible]
I. C. Sub.	4	6	Wettlaufer	4	8
J. Butler	75	82	Willys O.	77	83
Jumbo Ex.	2¼	2½	Do. pfd.	88	94
Kerr Lake	4⅝	5⅛	Yukon	2	2⅛
Keystone	⅝	1½	Utah Sec.	15½	17
La Rose	⅝	1½	Do Notes	79	80
L. V. Coal	140	160			
Man. Shirt.	25	50			

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

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SALT LAKE, Dec. 3.—Closing bid and asked quotations:

	Close Bid.	Close Ask.		Close Bid.	Close Ask.
Beck Tun.	4½	—	Prince Con.	17	20
Black Jack	3	8	S. K. Coal	232½	240
Colorado	10	10½	Sioux Con.	2	3
Daly Judge	460	495	Tint. Cent.	⅝	1
Grand Cent.	63	64	Uncle Sam.	2	7
Iron Blos.	110	112½	Utah Con.	½	⅝
Little Bell	10	14	Vic. Con.	23	30
Lower M.	1⅝	2¼	Yankee Con	1	4⅛
May Day	9½	10½	G. Chain.	10	13
New. Hills	38	50	S. K. Con.	170	175
Ohio Cop.	—	18			

Chicago Live Stock Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Hogs—Receipts, 50,000; weak, 10 to 25 cents under yesterday's average; bulk, 6.50@6.75; light, 6.00@6.80; mixed, 6.30@6.95; heavy, 6.30@6.90; rough, 6.30@6.45; pigs, 3.50@6.25. Cattle—Receipts, 7000; steady; native steers, 5.60@10.10; western, 5.25@8.50; cows and heifers, 3.25@8.60; calves, 7.00@10.00. Sheep—Receipts, 20,000; slow; sheep, 5.20@6.25; yearlings, 6.30@7.50; lambs, 6.50@9.00.

Legal Notice

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the Application of RODEO LAND & WATER COMPANY to sell its water, gas and electric plants and systems to BEVERLY HILLS UTILITIES COMPANY, and of the latter company to issue capital stock of the face value of $200,000.00. — Application No. 1425.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Railroad Commission of the State of California has set a hearing in the above-entitled matter before Commissioner Edgerton, for Thursday, December 10, 1914, at 9 o'clock a.m., in the Supreme Courtroom, Bullard Block, in the city of Los Angeles, California, at which time and place all interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard.

By order of the Railroad Commission.
Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th day of November, 1914.
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Farmers' & Merchants' Nat. Bank, Cor. Fourth and Main	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. V. H. ROSSETTI, Cash'r	Capital ......$1,500,000; Surplus and Profits $2,000,000
National Bank of California, N.E. Cor. Fourth & Spring	J. E. FISHBURN, Pres. H. S. McKee, Cashier.	Capital ....$500,000; Surplus and Profits $200,000
First National Bank, S.W. Cor. Seventh and Spring	J. M. ELLIOTT, Pres. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier.	Capital ......$1,500,000; Surplus and Profits $2,502,664.28
Merchants' National Bank, Corner of Sixth and Spring.	W. H. HOLLIDAY, Pres. J. H. RAMBOZ, Cashier.	Capital ......$1,000,000; Surplus and Profits $500,000

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At the City Hall.

STEPHENS GOES BEFORE COUNCIL.

SETS FORTH HIS POSITION IN TIDELANDS CASE.

Makes Such Logical Showing that Member of Harbor Board Declares City Attorney has Commission "Over a Barrel," and Council Appears Satisfied.

Although the "peace conference" between City Attorney Stephens and the Harbor Commission over the tidelands suit controversy is not scheduled to take place until this forenoon, the City Attorney lost no time in getting his case before the City Council. Apparently, he has the advantage of the situation at the present time.

Mr. Stephens appeared in the Council chamber yesterday morning and asked as his right and privilege that he be allowed to explain to the Council his position and to present a justification for its own acts in adopting the ordinances relative to the tidelands recovery at his recommendation.

Two lines of action are involved in the programme adopted by the City Attorney, each of which he set forth fully to the Council. This action is in regard to a strip of tidelands 200 feet in width, which the Southern Pacific holds at the harbor, extending from Wilmington to the government breakwater at the outer harbor. The right of way is held under permits issued by the Surveyor-General when the harbor lands were fully under State control.

The Harbor Commission's attitude is that suit should be brought to secure the entire length and width of this 200-foot right of way, while the City Attorney proposes to bring the action for the recovery of a strip only 170 feet in width and about two miles in length, thus leaving the Southern Pacific in possession of a thirty-foot strip along one of the most valuable portions of the water front.

The City Attorney holds that the permits granted by the Surveyor-General are invalid, and if the court so holds, then the title to the entire 200-foot strip, clear to the breakwater, would be vested in the city, and it could oust the railroad tracks. If this plan of action should not be sustained by the courts, however, then the City Attorney proposes to proceed on the theory of non-user, as the railroad has only two tracks on the land in question, and thirty feet is amply sufficient for this purpose.

As to the strip of right of way below the two miles that is directly affected by the proposed suit, the City Attorney stated that other conditions prevailed in that connection that would require separate legal action.

The Harbor Commission has desired that the Council adopt a new ordinance, revoking the Southern Pacific right of way over the entire strip of tidelands, a distance of about four miles.

After the City Attorney had completed his explanations, Commissioner Gilmer of the Harbor Board remarked that "It looks as though they have us over a barrel," and the members of the Council were apparently satisfied with the situation. The conference today with the Harbor Commission will determine whether the City Attorney's programme will stand or a more comprehensive scope will be given to the proposed litigation, in so far as the amount of land to be contested for its concerned.

RUNS INTO MONEY. MORE PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

An outlay of close to $100,000 for more public improvements was provided for by the action of the Board of Public Works yesterday in awarding nine contracts for street and sewer work. The actual figures on the total work provided for are $92,444.04.

In this list of awards is included the improvement of Vernon avenue from the western city limits to Figueroa street. This is to consist of asphalt paving, cement curbs, sidewalks, granite block gutters and steel-concrete culverts at Western and Dalton avenues and Hoover street.

Benjamin F. Ford and Fred H. Stout were given this contract, the price being $66,630.68.

The other contracts awarded are as follows: Branden street, first section to S. McCray for $168.25; second section to R. H. McCray, Jr., for $2402.17.

Three alley improvements to the Fairchild-Gilmore-Wilton Company for $12,641.40.

Sewer construction in Denker avenue, between Slauson avenue and Fifty-seventh street, to H. H. Kock and John Chutuk for $7466.50.

Sewer construction in Fifteenth street, from Santa Clara to Alameda streets, to the same contractors, for $1552.04.

Sewer construction in Figueroa street, from Slauson avenue to Fifty-ninth street, to John Sotalo, for $583.

WOULD ABANDON MOUNTAIN-AVENUE LINE.

The Pacific Electric Company filed with City Clerk Wilde yesterday a notice to the City Council of its desire to abandon that portion of its right of way on Mountain avenue, now Avenue 64, acquired under a franchise granted to A. and C. S. Campbell-Johnston and assigned to this company, extending from a point 140 feet northerly of the former city limits at Meridian street northerly 1157 feet to the northerly city limits as they now exist, according to the annexation of 1912.

The Pacific Electric Company proposes to abandon all that portion of its line from the end of the double track, just northerly of Meridian street, to the Annandale Golf Club, and will make a similar application to the Board of Supervisors of Los Angeles county for permission to abandon that portion of the route that lies outside the city limits. The traffic of the line has been found to be unprofitable.

EXCESS SPEED. MAKES TERRIBLE NOISE.

A device whereby excess speed of automobiles will be called to general attention in that vicinity by the creation of a terrible noise is to be called to the attention of the City Council, in the hope that it may utilize the device in the enforcement of speed regulations.

W. B. Crossland, representing the Co-operative Electric Company, has applied to the Public Safety Committee of the Council to arrange for a public demonstration of this device. He is giving similar demonstrations before city officials in various large cities of the West. The claim is made for this device that it is attached to the hub of the vehicle and set for a certain maximum speed, to correspond with the ordinance speed limit, and the instant this is exceeded the noise created by the device is sure to attract general attention.

FINAL FIGURES. ON LOT-CLEANING WORK.

Assistant City Engineer Hansen yesterday submitted to the Board of Public Works the final figures on the campaign of the lot-cleaning bureau for the season.

This report shows that there were 14,600 notices to clean lots served upon property owners, and that 10,220 notices were complied with, while the lot-cleaning corps of the city cleaned up 2028 lots.

The total amount assessed against these properties for the work done, which included a percentage of the administration expenses, was $11,268.39, for which there appears on the 1914 tax rolls the sum of $6875.38, while $4393.01 will appear on the 1915 tax rolls.

The total expenditures of the bureau amounted to $13,923.62.

IT'S ECONOMICAL. BUT NOT DESIRABLE.

Health Commissioner Powers, in a reply to the Board of Public Works yesterday regarding complaints of the non-collection of waste from apartment-houses, stated that the present arrangement as to these collections is not a desirable one.

"Similar complaints from other localities have given us a great deal of trouble," says the Health Commissioner, "and while it may save the city the expense of removing this waste from apartment-houses, it does not promote sanitation."

The contract now in force between the city and the firm handling this class of waste does not require the contractors to remove rubbish, ashes or tin cans from apartment-houses, the owners having to dispose of these by private means. This results in no systematic method being applied in these cases, and frequently the waste accumulates to large proportions.

Would Abandon Proceedings.

Property owners on Beaudry avenue, between Fifth and Sixth streets, yesterday filed a petition asking the City Council to abandon the proposed improvement of that street and the construction of a sanitary sewer at this time. The main reason presented is because of the project for the opening of Fifth street, from Grand to Boylston street. The petitioners ask for a public hearing so that they may present this and other reasons for abandonment of the proceedings.

At the Courthouse.

SPLITS EVEN WITH AGENTS.

INNER WORKINGS OF ALLEGED SALES CAMPAIGN.

Man Who Bought Stock on Note Refuses to Honor it and When Suit is Brought Says He Never Got Stock from the Company Said to be Held as Collateral.

Charles E. Beck bought 100 shares of the capital stock of the International Securities Company and gave his note for $1000. He refused to pay the note, alleging that he had never received the stock. The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Protective Association of Long Beach, which holds the note, brought suit to recover its face value, with interest, and Mr. Beck filed an amended answer, which deals interestingly with the campaign of stock-selling alleged to have been conducted among ranchmen by the fiscal agents of the corporation. The suit was tried before Judge Prewett and submitted on briefs yesterday.

Mr. Beck testified that he called on Newton J. Skinner, president of the International Securities Company, and demanded the stock.

"He told me I would get the stock when the corporation got the money. I told him I had come in for it, and he said:

"'I can't give it to you; I am president of the company. We will hold the stock as collateral.'"

Later he said he was induced to sign an agreement that the stock would be held as collateral security for the note.

In his amended answer Mr. Beck alleges that in the fall of 1911 G. H. Riddell called on him at El Monte and solicited him to buy 100 shares of the stock of the corporation. He said he represented I. J. McGee & Co. of Los Angeles, fiscal agents of the International, which was promoting the sale of the capital stock. Mr. Riddell, according to the answer, represented the stock of the value of $10 a share.

The corporation, it was represented, was seeking to raise a fund of $200,000 with which to organize an insurance company in this and other States. The profits and income would be enormous. It was expected to have the insurance company in operation by March 1, 1913.

On these representations Mr. Beck said he bought the stock, giving his note. He now alleges that the corporation was never organized and that it never conducted an insurance company or never engaged in any other business except to promote the sale of its capital stock. The stock is worthless and the International insolvent, Mr. Beck asserted.

Attorney Clyde Shoemaker, representing Mr. Beck, declared that approximately $133,000 worth of stock had been sold to ranchers, of which 50 per cent. went to the agents handling it. He further stated that no stock had been sold since September, 1913.

GOOD STUFF COMING. MAY BE REACHED TODAY.

The cross-examination of Francis H. Boland, whose suit against Mrs. Jenny H. S. Roe Tufts for a balance of $4472 for professional services in the prosecution of her husband, Gorham Tufts, Jr., for various alleged offenses, was conducted by I. Engle Carpenter before a jury in Judge McCormick's court yesterday. The questions were directed with a view of learning how Mr. Boland estimated the value of his services, which the defense declares were unnecessary.

All of the cases which Mr. Boland says he figured in were faked to make business for him, the defense asserts. It is also stated that he obtained employment as Mrs. Tufts's counsel by fraudulently representing that he knew all about Mr. Tufts.

The sensational spots in Mr. Boland's evidence may not be reached until late today. These deal with his purported interviews with Mrs. Tufts, in which she revealed the true character of her husband. This testimony was supported by affidavits, which the defense claim they will riddle when Mr. and Mrs. Tufts take the stand, united in a fight of vindication.

NOW SHE'S GONE. AND YOUNGDEER FREED.

The contributing charge against James Youngdeer, moving picture manager, was dismissed in the Juvenile Court on the motion of Deputy District Attorney McCartney yesterday, as the prosecuting witness, Miss Marie Wilkerson, had left the city. Youngdeer was recently in the justice's court on a more serious charge in connection with Miss Wilkerson, and the case was dismissed for the same cause.

SOME PEACE. CHILD CONNECTING LINK.

The order of Judge Taft fixing the conditions under which Dr. W. J. Chambers may see his son, W. J. Chambers, Jr., aged 3 years, appears to be working smoothly. Dr. Chambers and Mrs. Rosslyn Chambers stated in court yesterday that both are satisfied and the order was continued in force until the main issue between the divorced couple is tried. Under this order Jimmy cannot be taken out of the boundaries of the city.

Jimmy is the connecting link between Dr. Chambers and his ex-wife. But the parting of the ways has brought unpleasantness. Dr. Chambers declared that some time ago, when he went to the residence of his former wife, No. 2208 South Union, he was met with kicks, blows and hair-pulling. Mrs. Chambers's side of the story is that Dr. Chambers endeavored to kidnap Jimmy and attacked the women at the house.

SEPARATED NOW. WIFE GIVEN DECREE.

"It appears that your husband has been trying to get a divorce and you contested the suit. Are you appearing because he asked you to?" Judge Monroe asked Mrs. Agda S. Peckham yesterday. The reply was "No." The decree was granted to her on the ground of desertion.

The Peckhams married in 1904 and separated February 22, 1910. Mr. Peckham's suit for divorce was denied by Judge Monroe, who later granted Mrs. Peckham a decree of separate maintenance. Yesterday she won a decree of divorce.

The testimony yesterday was to the effect that Mr. Peckham left his wife because he said she was jealous. Mrs. Mary E. Rowan said Mr. Peckham called up on the telephone and told her he had left his wife. She said he called Mrs. Peckham "Honey," and patted her on the back.

Mr. Peckham is a real estate dealer and several years ago was prominent in business. A property settlement was made before the trial of Mrs. Peckham's divorce suit.

COURT PARAGRAPHS. PROCEEDINGS IN BRIEF.

END OF IT. Judge Monroe and T. Colville, the latter a clerk in Judge McCormick's court, were the only defendants of a number sued by John Lapique for damages growing out of his arrest and conviction four years ago for obtaining property under alleged false pretenses, to file answers, the others demurring to the complaint. The demurrers were sustained and yesterday Mr. Lapique's suit was called in Judge York's court. Mr. Lapique asked for a continuance, which was resisted by Attorney Denis. When the continuance was denied, he moved for a dismissal of the action, which the court granted.

GRIER ESTATE. The will of Thomas Johnston Grier, who died September 22, last, bequeathed $7000 to seven brothers and sisters. The petition for the probate of the will and for letters of administration was filed by the widow, Mary Jane Grier, yesterday. The value of the estate is put down in excess of $10,000. The legacies are $1000 each to James R. H., George E., William John and Albert E. Grier; Mrs. Annie M. Fell, Mrs. Elizabeth V. Williams, and Georgiana C. Withycomb. The residue is divided as follows: One-third to the widow, including the residence at No. 27 Buckingham road, and two-thirds to James W. and Margaret E. Ferrie; Thomas J., E. V., Lisgan P. and O. P. Grier, the children. The two-thirds is to be held in trust by Mrs. Grier.

DAMAGES AWARDED. Valentine Bressan was employed as a laborer by the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company. July 24, 1913, he was struck by a steel lid which crushed both hands. The injuries proved fatal. John Lopizich, administrator of his estate, brought suit against the corporation for $25,000 damages. In Judge Morrison's court yesterday judgment was given the administrator for $2000.

NO DECREE. Mrs. Jessie Ray Williamson failed to a win a decree of divorce from Andrew Williamson in Judge Monroe's court yesterday. She obtained, however, the custody of her daughter, and Mr. Williamson was ordered to pay $30 a month for her support. The court found that the testimony was not satisfactory. He had given her his property and also his bank book and his salary. After she had gone to her mother's and he did not know she had left him, he frequently called upon her and the daughter and gave her his money.

WILL APPEAL. As the result of a collision between a motorcycle ridden by Floyd E. Parker, aged 17, and an auto driven by John P. Pohle, on Edendale road, May 10, last, the lad was thrown off and a leg fractured. He brought suit for $5670 and was yesterday awarded $1300 damages. Notice of appeal was given.

REMEMBERS CHURCHES. Sarah J. Ernisse accumulated an estate of $4000. She died November 26, last, and when her will was filed for probate yesterday she was found to have bequeathed $200 to the Presbyterian Church at Redlands and $300 to the Presbyterian Church at Inglewood for missionary purposes. The residue of the estate is given to a sister, Mrs. D. D. Campbell.

CHANGE OF NAME. The Pasadena Savings and Trust Company petitioned the court yesterday to have the name changed to the Pasadena Trust and Savings Bank for the better information of its customers and the general public, that a savings as well as a trust department is conducted.

ASKS FOR RECEIVER. M. C. Ryder, to whom claims aggregating $4892.88 have been assigned, filed suit yesterday against the Western Construction Company, K. T. and W. R. Bennett, C. F. McDonald and P. J. Servais, stockholders, asking that a receiver be appointed and that the defendants be restrained from disposing or transferring the funds of the corporation.

INCORPORATIONS. Santa Fe Avenue Mercantile Company, incorporators Joseph A. Gilson, Jr., Martin Forrest and S. M. Haskins, capital stock $10,000, subscribed $300; Los Angeles Mutual Supply Company, Inc., incorporators T. C. Wada, S. Nakahara and S. Tonamura, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $30; The Tuna Exchange, incorporators Frank Van Camp, G. L. Hogan, H. L. Stafford, W. V. Ambrose, N. J. Kuglis, W. J. King, M. C. Ward and N. Toyama, capital stock $50,000, subscribed $8; Independent Tuna Packing Company, incorporators George A. Binney, C. H. Beauchamp, E. E. Knapp, S. A. Knapp, Jr., and Hugh Gordon, capital stock $200,000, subscribed $5; Iowa Association of Southern California, incorporators Curtis D. Wilbur, Edwin S. Ormsby, W. W. Williams, A. L. Hamilton, F. H. Nichols, J. A. Rominger, Frank R. Willis, J. G. Spielman, C. H. Parsons, Fred H. Taft, A. B. Shaw, H. M. Bigelow, J. J. Stedman, C. C. Caves and Ed W. Hopkins, no capital stock.

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Sewing Machines, $1—for little Miss Housekeeper. Sewing machines of European manufacture—light and durable.

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European Racket Sets, 75c—Containing two rackets, two celluloid balls and four shuttlecocks.

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Animal Toys
—Sheep (woolly,) 25c to $6.50.
—Cats (wooly,) 25c to $2.75.
—Dogs (plush,) 35c to $17.50.
—Monkeys (plush,) 35c to $1.00.
—Cloth Animals, 25c to $1.75.

For the Little Miss
—Jointed Dolls, 15c to $18.50.
—Bisque Dolls, 10c to $1.35.
—Kewpies, 25c to 45c.
—Kid Dolls, 50c to $5.50.
—Tin Service Sets, 35c to $1.00.
—Alum. Kitchen Sets, 25c to $3.00.
—Doll Collapsible Go-carts, 50c to $5.

Children's Books—bedtime stories, Mother Goose tales and colored toy books—prices range from 5c to $1. Main floor.

Mechanical Toys
—Attachments for Steam Engines, 10c to $5.00.
—Dynamobiles, 40c to $1.50.
—Motors, $1.00 to $9.50.
—Mechanical Boats, 35c to $30.00.
—Tin Mechanical Toys, 25c to $2.50.
—Tunnels, 75c to $1.75.
—Semaphores, 40c to $2.50.
—Stations, 50c to $5.00.
—Extra Mechanical Locomotives, 50c to $2.50.

Miscellaneous
—Iron Wheelbarrows, 35c to $1.25.
—Wood Wheelbarrows, 25c to $2.00.
—Reed Doll Carriages, 50c to $15.
—Locomotives, $10.00 to $17.50.
—Shoo Flies, $1.00 to $12.50.
—Red Kindergarten Chairs, 25c to [...]
—Wall Blackboards, 75c to $4.00.
—Easel Blackboards, 35c to $3.25.
—Desks, $1.35 to $22.50.
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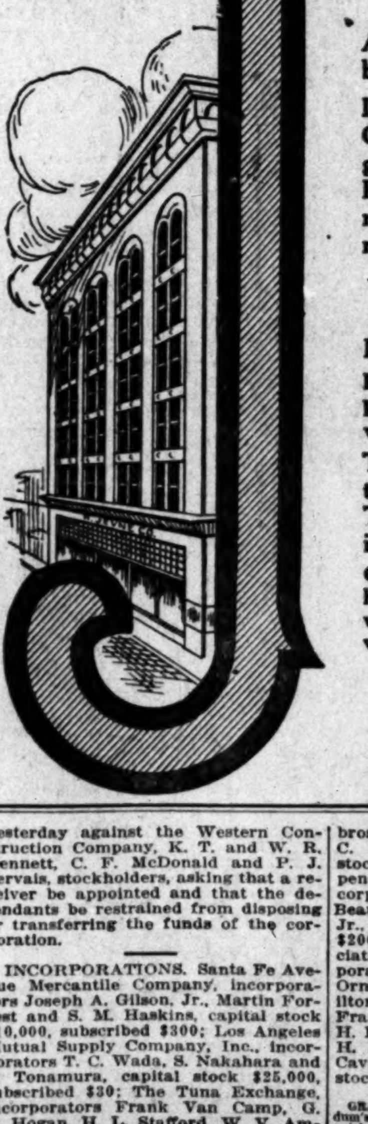

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SALARY CUT IS VOLUNTARY.

Nine Pittsburgh Councilmen Use Economy Ax on Their Own Incomes.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PITTSBURGH (Pa.) Dec. 4.—As a master stroke to insure economy in the city's finances, the city's nine Councilmen, during consideration of the next year budget, today cut their own salaries $1000 each a year and passed a motion which practically demands that every city official from the Mayor down volunteer to accept a proportionate cut. Councilmanic salaries have heretofore been $6500.

CIVIL SERVICE IN NTH DEGREE.

LEAGUE SAYS COMMISSIONERS THEMSELVES NEED THE MERIT SYSTEM.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The need of including Civil Service Commissioners themselves in classified service was emphasized at today's session here of the National Civil Service Reform League. Only five of seventy-five State Commissioners have any idea of their duties, according to Robert Catherwood, president of the Cook County Civil Service Commission.

"It is inconsistent to have a politician appointed to the head of a Civil Service Commission and then have the list made by the commission thrown into the plum basket after election," he said. "These commissioners should be subjected to a rigid examination made by a special examiner appointed by the Governor for that purpose."

Postmaster-General Burleson was criticised for "inviting the advice of Congressmen relative to the comparative qualifications of eligibles for fourth-class postmasterships," and President Wilson was praised for obtaining the defeat of legislation which sought to curtail the working of civil service, in resolutions passed at today's session. Appointment of all employees of the Federal Reserve Board without regard to civil service was condemned by a resolution which also criticised a bill exempting commercial attaches of foreign ministries from civil service. All officers of the league were re-elected.

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Santa Barbara Supervisors are asking the grand jury to be more specific in allegations so they may remedy faults.

PACIFIC SLOPE. A Seattle banker in court yesterday admitted he had turned over all his property to a woman who is said to have been his affinity and whom he recently sued.

Catholic Church in Arizona begins fight against the new prohibition law.

GENERAL EASTERN. Investment securities were much firmer, with a good inquiry and easier money rates.

Indictments found against nine Chicago detectives for accepting graft.

The Liebler theatrical firm of New York is bankrupt, with debts of $350,000.

WASHINGTON. It is said in Washington that the submarine flotilla of the United States is so depleted on account of vessels being laid up for repairs that only one is available for instant service on the Atlantic Coast.

According to a statement of Gen. Aleshire of the quartermaster's department, the United States army is well equipped with clothing and other supplies.

MEXICO. Another protest has been filed with the State Department against the constant firing across the border at Naco, where forty-seven have been killed and wounded by the Mexicans.

THE GREAT WAR. The situation to date: The deadlock in Poland.

The deadlock in Flanders.

COMMENT ON THE SITUATION.

The only victory about which anybody boasted yesterday is described thus: "The arrival of Australian and New Zealand contingents in Egypt is another triumph for the British navy." As for the great battles in eastern and western Europe, "there is still lacking reliable news," although one week ago today the war correspondents and the war rewrite men were frothing about a "magnificent" Russian victory over the Germans. The victory seems to have evanesced since then and the war correspondents, such as they are, have been totally routed. "The fact is," they agree, "that the fighting has developed into such a jumble it is almost impossible to follow it."

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MESSAGE FORECAST.

What Wilson Will Tell Congress.

Don't Pay any Attention to the Cry for Armament is His Advice.

Will Urge Immediate Passage of the Measure to Buy Merchant Ships.

Rural Credits and the Militia are Other Themes of the Executive.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 5.—The New York World, under a Washington date line, this morning presents what it calls a full and authentic forecast of the recommendations which President Wilson will make to Congress when he reads his message next Tuesday. It is as follows:

(1.) He will urge that Congress adhere to the strictest economy in authorizing government expenditures. He will lay stress upon the fact that the government is operating at the rate of $100,000,000 above its income as a result of the European war and the consequent reduction in customs duties. He will insist that all appropriations that resemble pork barrels must be eliminated, and that a sincere attempt must be made to cut the running expenses to the nation's income.

He will point out the fact that the European war may last for an indefinite period and that the national revenues will be short until a period after the termination of the war. He will remind Congress that it would be highly desirable to reduce the government's expenses so that the war tax may be repealed without unnecessary delay.

(2.) He will advise Congress that the country at present is undergoing a hysterical spasm concerning the state of the nation's defenses, but when the hysteria passes off and the cold facts are presented the people will be reassured in the knowledge that the army and navy are on a better footing at present than they have been at any other time. He will advise Congress that it is highly undesirable at this time, on account of the European cataclysm, to give the national stage to jingoes, but that the naval and military programme should be carried forward in a consistent manner.

While he will not go into detail concerning the needs of the army and navy, he will state that the nation's safety in the case of a great war will depend finally upon the volunteer army, and he will suggest the advisability of affording every assistance to the upbuilding of the militia in the various States.

The process of upbuilding the militia may well be put forward gradually, he will state, while the present first line of defense of the navy should be strengthened by auxiliaries of various sorts. He will remind Congress that the opening of the Panama Canal doubles the fighting value of the fleet.

(3.) He will urge the passage of a bill in line with the London convention to insure safety at sea and to preserve the rights of sailors. The Alexander bill, already passed by the House, will be acceptable, providing it is amended in several sections.

(4.) He will urge Congress to pass the ship purchase bill without delay. Pointing out the crying demand for transportation facilities to handle the South American trade, he will state that it is the duty of the government to supply the vessels which individuals appear to be unwilling to finance under the American flag.

(5.) He will urge the passage of a rural credits bill, whereby the farmers of the country will be enabled to assist themselves in financing their crops. He will not suggest direct government aid of any sort, but merely ask that the national government afford an instrumentality whereby farmers may be enabled to avail themselves of benefits similar to those which business men generally expect from the operations of the Federal reserve banks.

(6.) He will urge the passage of the Philippine bill already passed by the House, and of the conservation measures, which have passed the House also.

He does not purpose to go into the questions resulting from the European war, nor will he ask for additional legislation of any sort to meet the emergencies that have arisen from the war.

It is probable that, at a later date, he may read a special message concerning the main situation and certain phases of the European war.

MORE PROTECTION FOR THE CHANNEL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—It is the intention of the government to take more stringent measures to hinder the operations of mine laying and other hostile craft in the English Channel, according to a notice issued tonight. This notice says that after December 10, within a specified area of the channel, all lightships, buoys and signal lights are likely to be withdrawn or shifted. Advice is given merchant vessels that navigation within this area will be "exceedingly dangerous," without the aid of pilots, who are to be stationed in certain ports.

SHOP EARLY, MAIL EARLY.

Postmaster-General Burleson's Advice to Christmas Shoppers.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Postmaster-General Burleson joined the "shop-early" campaign today when he issued his Christmas suggestions to the public, headed with the injunction, "mail your parcels early." Official sanction for the use on parcels of the caution: "Do not open until Christmas," also was announced. Among other official suggestions is a warning that names and addresses of senders should be written on each package and also included in the package. The postoffices annually are confronted with the problem of disposing of thousands of parcels that have lost their tags or outer covering and bear nothing to identify the sender or addressee.

Litigation.

JEWELERS SUED BY MRS. GOULD.

SEEKS TO RECOVER VALUE OF DIAMOND ORNAMENTS.

Declares She Left Dozen Articles with Parisian Firm to be Reset Eight Years Ago and Never Got Them Back or Their Equivalent. Jewelers Filed Counter Suit.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Katherine Clemons Gould began suit today in the Supreme Court against Louis J. and Pierre Camille Cartier, Parisian jewelers to recover $200,000 which she alleges to be the value of a dozen articles of jewelry left with the Cartiers in 1906 to be reset.

According to the plaintiff's counsel and the affidavit of Mrs. Gould filed in connection with the case, while she was in Paris during the summer of 1906 with her husband, Howard Gould, he suggested that her jewelry, or some of it, should be reset. They went to Cartier's and Mrs. Gould left the twelve articles, among them a sapphire and diamond brooch, a ruby and diamond brooch, a pearl and diamond dog collar and a ruby and sapphire brooch with a diamond chain.

Mrs. Gould says that as she was about to come to America with her husband at the time, she arranged to have the jewelry ready for her upon her return, but her separation from her husband, she alleges, took place immediately after her arrival on this side and she has not since had possession of her jewelry.

The Cartiers, about six years ago, began suit against Howard Gould for $21,000 and testimony was taken in the case more than five years ago. This suit is still pending.

HUDSON ADMITS HIS IDENTITY.

WEALTHY CHICAGO LAWYER IS THE MAN INDICTED IN NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Carleton Hudson, wealthy lawyer, for years a respected churchman and citizen here, and C. H. Betts, who fled from New York in 1894 when he was liberated on bond, charged with forgery, are the same man. Hudson, who was arrested yesterday at the instance of the heirs of his former bondsman, admitted his identity tonight in a statement issued by his counsel, Clarence Darrow.

Hudson was arraigned here today and given a week's continuance. He is at liberty, having been granted until tomorrow morning to raise $5000 bond. The following statement was made public:

"Mr. Hudson's name is Carleton Hudson. His father died when young and his mother married Hiram W. Betts. For many years he was generally called by the name of Betts.

"In 1894 he was indicted in New York under the name of Carleton H. Betts and charged with forging a receipt for $500. I am very sure that he did not commit a forgery and he is ready to answer any charge made against him.

"Mr. Hudson has lived in Chicago for many years; is well known and has made frequent trips to New York during all these years, and this charge, twenty years old, made at this time, doubtlessly comes through important litigation in which he is now engaged concerning property matters here and in Minnesota.

"I am confident that when the facts are known he will be fully vindicated."

VIENNA JUBILANT OVER GREAT VICTORY

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VENICE (via London) Dec. 4.—There was great jubilation in Vienna when the news of the occupation of Belgrade by the Austrian forces was published. Throughout the city the streets were decorated with flags. The newspapers were filled with praise of the Austro-Hungarian troops.

OLD RESTAURANT ASSIGNS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Smith and McNeil's restaurant and hotel, a landmark for sixty years at Washington and Greenwich streets and known by thousands of travelers when the only entrance to New York was by ferry, made an assignment yesterday and may be compelled to close its doors forever. The restaurant was started in 1849.

Difficulties.

DON JUAN ARRESTED.

Los Angeles Girl is His Accuser.

Col. Charles Alexander Held in Rhode Island for the Chicago Authorities.

Violation of the Mann Act is Charged to the Clubman and Traveler.

Samples of the Erotic Effusions He Sent to Miss Jessie Cope.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Col. Charles Alexander, wealthy manufacturer and former State official of Rhode Island, was arrested today at his home in Providence on the request of the Federal grand jury in Chicago.

Col. Alexander, who is 64 years old and a man of family, is charged with violating the Mann Act. His accuser is Miss Jessie E. Cope, thirty years his junior, who resided until recently in Los Angeles.

Miss Cope told the grand jury that Col. Alexander promised to marry her. She is said to have testified that they traveled extensively together in the United States and that finally he purchased her a beautiful bungalow in the Berkshire Hills near Taunton, Mass.

Counter-charges of blackmail, formally presented to the grand jury, are expected as a result of Col. Alexander's arrest. Federal authorities are reported to be keeping the woman under surveillance, although she has not been arrested.

United States Attorney Clyne announced tonight that indictments under the "white-slave" traffic act had been returned against the Providence manufacturer. These, however, have not been announced in the Federal court. Mr. Clyne refused to comment on further developments in the case or the possibility of a double prosecution.

Soon after his arrest Col. Alexander asserted that the case was purely blackmail and would be fought to a finish. He was taken before an old friend, United States Commissioner A. C. Matteson, who held him in $7500 bonds for the Federal court in Chicago.

MET IN LOS ANGELES.

According to the story Miss Cope is said to have told the grand jury, she met Col. Alexander in Los Angeles two years ago at a social gathering. She is a tall and striking brunette, and the manufacturer is said to have immediately proceeded to woo her.

Miss Cope is said to have given evidence to the grand jury that she "relied upon a promise that she would ultimately become his wife and, acting upon his suggestion, she met him in Chicago in February, 1913, at the Grand Pacific Hotel."

According to United States Attorney Clyne, Miss Cope and the colonel occupied "connecting rooms" and soon afterward they "traveled to New Orleans and then returned to California." In New Orleans they are said to have stopped at the St. Charles Hotel.

COSTLY PRESENTS.

Costly presents were purchased by the man and given the woman, and as a culmination of his love Col. Alexander finally built her, near Taunton, Mass., a beautiful bungalow, which Miss Cope asserted is ideally situated in the Berkshire Hills.

Col. Alexander, as a true Lothario, grew poetic in his love making, according to the woman's story, and "as a Year Year's greeting in January, 1913, he wrote her the following verse:

"In warmth and cheer, and firelight glow,
Come sit with me in my bungalow;
A welcome waits you all, my friends,
And while the blazing fireplace sends
Its sparks to join the stars on high,
We'll feast and sing and jollify,
And drive away all cares and ills,
At my bungalow in Berkshire Hills."

That, however, was only a small sample of Col. Alexander's poetic genius, according to the woman.

Here is another bit of poetry she said he sent her:

"Alexander of the olden days
Was said to sadly weep.
Because there were no other worlds
To conquer and to keep.
But in these latter, better days
Of trusts and politics,
Another Alexander came
Who knew the modern tricks."

The poetical lover, in a letter dated December 13, 1912, referred to the girl who now accuses him as "his great, big girl of the Golden West," according to her story.

For nearly two years the wooing continued, according to the Federal officials. When the break in relations occurred, it is said that the woman threatened criminal prosecution, but that Col. Alexander refused to listen to her threats. She came to Chicago six weeks ago and unfolded her story to United States Attorney Clyne and his assistant, Michael L. Igoe.

While in Chicago she was a recluse from all society, but daily visited the office of Attorney Igoe or that of Hinton Clabaugh, chief of the local investigation bureau of the Department of Justice. Mr. Clyne stated tonight that she had left the city. Mr. Clabaugh, who is said to have men constantly watching her movements, refused to discuss the case.

Col. Alexander is related by blood or marriage to some of the oldest fam-

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VIKING SHIP DUE IN PORT.

Norwegians in Garb of Their Forebears will Man Her.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Manned by a crew of Norwegians attired in the crude costumes of their stalwart forebears, a viking ship soon will leave Puget Sound bound for the yacht harbor of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition, where it will remain at anchor during the exposition period as the exhibit of the Norwegians of the State of Washington, according to announcement made here today. The curious vessel will be a reproduction of a viking ship recently excavated in Norway of a type hitherto unencountered and will make the trip down the coast under its own sails.

Formal.

SHARP GREETED BY POINCARE.

AMERICAN ENVOY PRESENTS HIS CREDENTIALS.

Declares He Admires Patriotism of the French People and President Responds with Pronouncement in Favor of a Permanent and Lasting Peace in Europe.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 4.—William Graves Sharp, the new American Ambassador, presented his credentials today to President Poincare. The ceremony was attended by the usual formalities. A detachment of mounted republican guards escorted the state carriage in which the American Ambassador rode from his hotel to the residence of the President and back again. In conveying to the government and the people of France, in the most cordial terms, the best wishes of the President of the United States, Ambassador Sharp alluded to the war.

"During my sojourn among the French people," he said, "I have come to have an added regard for their exemplification of bravery and patriotic citizenship. In expressing the earnest hope that out of the trials of the present hour may soon come the blessing of everlasting and beneficent peace, I but voice the prayers of my countrymen."

In his reply, President Poincare alluded to the historic friendship existing between the United States and France, and said that excellent relations had been established by Mr. Sharp's two predecessors, Ambassadors Bacon and Herrick, whom he had known personally.

"I know also," he added, "that you come to represent faithfully the President of the United States and your nation. I can assure you that for its part, France has throughout a most lively admiration for the magnificent American civilization and for Mr. Wilson's eminent qualities. I thank you for your wishes for the re-establishment of a long and happy peace. If it had depended only upon the French government, peace would not have been troubled. To a brutal attack we have replied with that patriotism and bravery to which you are so kind as to pay homage.

"We are determined to fulfill to the end the duty that is imposed on us. In order that it may be long and happy, that it may not be illusory and treacherous, peace must be guaranteed by reparation in entirety for violated rights, and it must be protected against further attacks."

The President concluded his remarks by sending his "wishes for the prosperity and greatness of the United States as well as for the personal happiness of your illustrious President."

BUG SHARP IS LOST.

Man Who Spent June in California Looking for the Fruit Fly Missing in Europe.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

HONOLULU (T. H.) Dec. 4.—Anxiety is felt for the safety of John C. Bridwell, chief entomologist of the government nursery near Honolulu, who when last heard from was conducting entomological investigations in Africa, and who then intended to proceed to Europe. No news from the scientist has caused his wife to believe that he may have been detained somewhere in the war zone. Efforts to find Bridwell through cable dispatches have failed.

Prof. Bridwell, in company with Prof. David T. Fullaway, spent some time in California last June seeking a fruit fly which was attacking trees in the citrus belt.

WAR HAS ITS USES.

Many Americans Subject to Income Tax are Located by Means of Their Registry Abroad.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—One effect of the European war, which Treasury Department officials are beginning to appreciate, is the opportunity afforded to gather accurate lists of Americans living in Europe who are subject to the income tax.

With the beginning of hostilities, Americans living abroad began to register at American consulates and thousands of names appear in these records, of which the income tax division of the Treasury Department had no knowledge from any available information here. The department has asked the State Department for a complete record of such Americans and will use the lists in checking up returns made by Americans living in foreign countries. It was said today that it would have taken many years to collect the information through ordinary channels.

Fugitives.

IN FLIGHT BY AIRSHIP.

Two Sons of Kaiser Elude Slavs.

Aeroplane Saves the Princes from Capture by the Czar's Troops.

Russian Blunders Give All the Advantage to the Legions from Germany.

Two Deadlocks Instead of One Net Result of Months of Bloodshed.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PETROGRAD, Dec. 3.—The general impression from all sides is that the Vistula - Warta fighting has been more severe than anything experienced before during this war on any front.

The Germans in the early conflict christened it "the imperial battle," for they had been impressed by the highest authority that upon their success depended the whole future of the war and as a reward for victory they were promised they would be disbanded to their homes.

The Germans still persist in their massed formations against rifle, Maxim or bayonet, and as a result their losses have been appalling. Experts estimate the Germans have lost two-thirds of their army in Poland.

There were several critical moments during the fighting north of Lodz. One Russian division held its ground against two German army corps and finally drove them back. But for the late arrival of one Russian army corps, the battle would have finished in a complete Russian victory a week ago. The strategic position meant a complete German defeat, had all gone right. As it was, large numbers of Germans got out of the trap and the subsequent fighting has been a curious tactical spectacle with the Russians and Germans in alternate strips covering a considerable area of the Polish battlefield. The Germans have alternated furious attacks with retreats.

The Kaiser's sons, Prince Oscar and Prince Joachim, are reported to have escaped only by taking flight in an aeroplane.

If there was a point besides their war machinery upon which the Germans particularly prided themselves, it was their marching powers. Yet even here the Russians have shown themselves immeasurably superior. The Grand Duke officially noted a while ago that some Russian corps had marched and fought continuously for months, had taken fortified positions and had covered more than 600 miles.

The Russians do their marching flat-foot, whereas the German records are made by means of motor traction. Over Polish roads in the autumn season the Germans find their methods badly handicapped, whereas the Russians continuously improved their records as the men got more and more hardened. One corps covered twenty miles one day and thirty-six the next, and went into the fight on their arrival with an ardor superior to that of the attacking Germans, who had the worst of it.

LONDON REVIEW OF THE BATTLES.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4, 10:30 p.m.—There is still lacking reliable news of the progress of the battle in Poland, which continues to monopolize interest. An unofficial dispatch from Petrograd says the battle of Lodz has ended in success for the Russians, but this statement is opposed to that of the Berlin official report, which says the German offensive in Poland is taking its normal course.

The fact is that the fighting in this region has developed into such a jumble that it is almost impossible to follow it. The most important factor from the allies' point of view is that the German advance on Warsaw seemingly has not succeeded in its object, nor has it had the effect of diverting the Russians from their forward movement through the Carpathians and on to the plains of Hungary, or against the fortress of Cracow, around which they are drawing a closer ring of men and artillery.

Taking into consideration the case of Przemysl, which has held out so long against the Russian attacks, military men do not look for the early fall of Cracow and are rather inclined to believe that the armies of Emperor Nicholas will endeavor to keep the large Austrian force inside the fortress and enter Silesia from the southeast.

Much depends, however, on the battle which is being fought with such intensity farther north between the rivers Vistula and Warta, and in which all agree the losses on both sides have been very heavy. There is an inclination to believe that had there been any probability of an early success for the Germans in this field Emperor William, who has returned to Berlin, would have remained to witness the victory of his troops.

The battle in the west appears to be at a standstill. The allies and the Germans have attempted to take the offensive at different points along the front, but, as neither claims to have made any advance and as both official reports mention repulses of the enemy,

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Encircled.

RING OF STEEL ABOUT BELGIUM.

People Absolutely Unable to Help Themselves.

Hoover Praises Attitude of German Authorities.

Big Shipload of Supplies is on its Way Abroad.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Herbert Clark Hoover, chairman of the American Commission for Relief in Belgium, returned to London today after a week's trip of inspection in Belgium. Mr. Hoover reported that the distribution of foodstuffs sent in care of the American commission is well under way, but stated that the condition of famine which threatened the population is desperate, and that on account of the attitude of the belligerents, the Belgians still must appeal to the people of the United States for relief.

"It is difficult to state the position of the civil population of Belgium without appearing hysterical," Mr. Hoover said in his statement. "I do not know that history presents any parallel of a population of 7,000,000 people surrounded by a ring of steel and utterly unable, by any conceivable effort of their own, to save themselves.

"From the nature of things it is impossible for the commission even to possess an opinion on the rights and wrongs which have created this situation. The Germans state flatly that the people of Belgium are normally dependent on the importation of foodstuffs for five-sixths of their subsistence; that the Germans have not the slightest objection to the Belgians or any one else importing foodstuffs into Belgium; that it is not the Germans who have blocked the overseas supply, and that there is no obligation upon them to feed the civil population, which could, through the normal course of trade, obtain subsistence. The allies, on the other hand, contend that a free port for the importation of foodstuffs into Belgium would practically amount to an entrepot for food supplies for the Germans. It is enough for us that there are 7,000,000 people ground between two gigantic millstones.

"We are meeting with no obstruction from the military authorities of Belgium in the prosecution of our work. Not one loaf of bread or one spoonful of salt that we have introduced has been taken by the military. The most stringent orders have been given that we shall have no interference and our members meet with respect and assistance in all quarters.

"There are considerable quantities of vegetables available in certain districts. In some localities there is still a supply of cereals for two or three weeks, but in certain other localities there has been no bread available for more than a fortnight. Every soul will be dependent upon us for bread within thirty days.

"So far our efforts have necessarily been devoted to provisioning the larger centers. It requires organization and patience to be able to penetrate the outlying towns and villages. It will be difficult for the people of the United States to comprehend the difficulties which we meet with in purely executive matters in the elaboration of this work.

"The clock has absolutely stopped in Belgium. An industrial country which was dependent on the overseas before, is now walled up with 70 per cent. of the people idle. There are no telegraphs, telephones, railways or postoffices, except for military purposes. The Belgians, of a military necessity, are not allowed to pass from their own towns, and consequently there is no communication throughout the country, except by personal visits of our members.

"Transportation by rail is possible in only a few directions, and then must await military necessity. The wonderful canal system is blocked in many places by the destruction of bridges and some canals have been allowed to run dry. Therefore, it becomes part of our business to get these cleared and to stimulate the subsidiary transport services of the country, not only for the transportation of our food, but to permit the transportation of coal from the Belgian mines—a sore necessity this winter.

"There are no courts, and the prisons have been emptied, but the gendarmerie have remained at their posts and are themselves both policemen and judges. The people are most law-abiding. The central and provincial governments have disappeared. The city and communal governments, however, still exist, and through them the distribution of food is being arranged. The Belgians are applying themselves with the most extraordinary devotion to the perfection of this organization and if we lacked any other aspiration for exertion on our part of the labor to save these people sufficient lies in this devoted work of the rich and the poor, a veritable democracy of famine which is working day and night to perform its part.

"The detail of the method is that after investigation by the communal authorities, food tickets are issued indicating the number and amount of rations to which the holder is entitled, and twice daily this ticket is presented by the holder to the food canteens for its quota and is duly punched. The ration consists of bread, soup containing potatoes, together with a little coffee and salt.

"All those who can afford to pay are compelled to pay the communal authorities at the rate of 4 cents per diem per ration. The destitute are given tickets gratis. The communal authorities contribute to the relief committee 1 cent per diem per capita on the total tickets issued in their commune, they obtaining this revenue from the tickets sold or by public subscriptions in the communes through the national committee under our supervision. These funds ultimately become available to us for the purchase of food.

"Further more, the same ration of bread and salt per diem is sold through the bakeries to agreed lists of the more well-to-do population, and as this bread is disposed of at a profit, our income has some further increase.

"Taking it all together, about one-half of the food which we send to Belgium is paid for, so when the American people contribute two shiploads of food they enable us to buy one more cargo.

"As a type of organization that of Brussels is simply a large example of those in each locality. In that city at present there are fourteen communal kitchens and 137 canteens for adults, and there are sixteen kitchens and thirty-four canteens for children under 3 years old. For adults food is prepared in the communal kitchens and is distributed to the canteens twice daily. The kitchens and canteens for babies are maintained as a separate organization in each commune.

"In order to guarantee that children are properly fed and that they are not subjected to the rigorous rations issued to adults, parents are compelled to take all children to communal doctors, who are on constant duty in charge of the canteens. Five different kinds of tickets are issued, the mothers calling for different types of rations. The tickets for the first six months of a child's life are practically for milk alone. Various grades of tickets gradually evolve into the introduction of more solid foods, until children 3 years old and over call on the general canteen. In order to provide milk the communes have taken over dairies.

"The amount and character of the destitution perhaps may be appreciated from the present position in Brussels. Of the population of about 650,000 remaining in the city an average of 218,000 were on the adult canteens and 8000 babies were on the baby canteens last week, or more than one-third of the total population. Probably no more pitiable sight ever was presented than the long lines of mothers with children in arms waiting their turn at these canteens. In the industrial districts, where the people naturally would have smaller stores on hand than in the capital, a much larger population is now on the communal canteens, in some instances more than 60 per cent. of the whole number.

"Brussels consumes 8000 sacks of flour per diem. There were just 921 sacks of flour in the city when our first shipment of foodstuffs arrived. When I left Brussels yesterday morning there were 15,000 sacks in the city, or about five days' supply. We have about two or three days' supply in Liege and similar supplies in other centers, such as Louvain, Charleroi, Namur and Luxemburg."

BIG SHIP SAILS FROM NEW YORK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Another mercy ship sailed from this port tonight for the relief of the starving non-combatants in Belgium, when the steamer Agamemnon, with 2800 tons of food supplies on board, cleared for Rotterdam. Louis de Sadeleer, Minister of State for Belgium, a member of the committee which recently made representations on behalf of the government of Belgium to President Wilson, was at the pier with members of the Belgian Relief Committee to bid the steamer God-speed.

A million pounds of rice made up the bulk of the cargo, which contained also 63,000 pounds of condensed milk and considerable consignments of beans, flour, salt, lard and coffee. The cargo is valued at $206,000. On its arrival at Rotterdam it will be distributed under the supervision of the London-American Commission for Relief in Belgium.

PURCHASE FLOUR FOR BELGIANS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Forty thousand dollars worth of flour for the starving Belgians was purchased today by the Belgian Relief Committee. The Belgian legation tonight issued this announcement:

"The Central Committee of the Belgian relief fund established in Washington, D. C., purchased yesterday $40,000 worth of flour, which will be sent at once to Belgium by Lindon W. Bates, purchasing agent in the United States of the American committee established in London.

"This sum represents a part of the contribution received by the Central Committee from nearly every State."

ENGLAND FLOATS RUSSIAN LOAN.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Great Britain has reached an agreement with the Russian government whereby the former, in consideration of a shipment of £8,000,000 sterling ($40,000,000) from Russia to England, will arrange with the Bank of England to discount under guarantee of the British government a further amount of £12,000,000 in Russia treasury bills. The rate discount will be on the basis of the rate at which Great Britain has been able to borrow for her own needs.

The £8,000,000 will be applied by Russia to providing exchange for Anglo-Russian trade. The £12,000,000 will be used to pay coupons on the Russian external debts, which are payable in London, and for financing Russian purchases in England or where Great Britain is unable to supply the article required and orders consequently have to be placed in Canada or the United States.

LATEST WORD OF KARLSRUHE.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—A report that the German cruiser Karlsruhe had left South American waters and was cruising near the steamship lane in the North Atlantic, on a hunt for ships flying flags of the allies, was brought here by officers of the steamer Zacapa, in today from Jamaica.

Austrian General Killed.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

AMSTERDAM, Dec. 4.—The Telegraaf says that Gen. Von Stutterheim, commander of an Austrian cavalry brigade, has been killed on an eastern battlefield.

Shelter.

GERMAN GUNS WELL HIDDEN.

WONDERFUL INGENUITY USED IN CONCEALMENT.

Trenches of French in Flanders Within Few Hundred Yards of Invaders' Works, but Remarkable Skill is Shown in Keeping Vast Bodies of Men Out of Sight.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

IN FLANDERS, Dec. 3 (via Paris) Dec. 4.—A visit to the trenches of the French in Flanders by a correspondent of the Associated Press, under the auspices of the French General Staff, is here described:

Standing in the shelter of a wonderfully ingenious and deep-dug trench, on what undoubtedly is the bloodiest battlefield in European history, the first and notable impression of an observer is one of utter surprise at the absence of movement and the lack of noise. Within one's range of vision, with a strong field glass, there are probably concealed 100,000 men, yet except for the few French soldiers with rifles in their hands, standing or kneeling in the immediate vicinity and keenly peering over the flat land toward the positions known to be held by the Germans, no human presence was noticeable.

A staff officer supplied the information that behind a slight slope some 300 yards away many German guns were hidden from sight, but only an occasional burst of flame and a sharp whirring sound coming from an indefinite point told of the presence of this artillery.

A little forest to the left is believed to be bristling with machine guns, backed by infantry in rifle pits and covered trenches. The approach to these positions has been made almost impossible from the standpoint of an infantry attack by barbed wire entanglements strewn with brush and branches of trees.

RESERVES ARE READY.

Behind the advanced line of the allies, which thus far has succeeded in holding back the strong forward movements of the German troops, are large bodies of fresh reserves, ready to give their help in stopping any attempted rush of the Germans for the channel ports. Troops of cavalrymen stand at the heads of their chargers in neighboring villages, ready to jump into the saddle at a moment's call. Other cavalry regiments, owing to the small extent to which horsemen may be used in this burrowing campaign, have been supplied with rifles and bayonets, and are taking their turn in the trenches. In many instances they have proved their versatility and displayed great dash.

The artillerymen, who often have suffered severely from the destructive fire of shell and shrapnel, have now learned to seek proper cover and conceal their positions, so that hostile airmen rarely can discern them.

AVIATORS ARE CAREFUL.

Aeronauts are compelled to keep to a considerable height, in consequence of the accuracy of the fire from below. The military authorities have ordered them not to run any greater risks than are necessary, since each airman is a valuable asset, whose loss would be almost a calamity to the army to which he is attached.

Surveillance over the territory in which the fighting is under way becomes more strict every week. No one, whether soldier or civilian, is permitted to pass the sentinels at the entrance to or exit from villages and towns without a permit stamped by the military authorities. At every grade crossing sentries are posted. Anyone who approaches rapidly is met with a leveled bayonet at the muzzle of a loaded rifle. There are no fewer than 500,000 men engaged in this duty throughout France. As they are all trained and disciplined soldiers, they would form the basis for another army in case of necessity.

SUPPLY CONVOYS.

As the actual fighting lines near the Belgian frontier are approached many of the roads are lined with gigantic convoys of supplies for the various brigades, divisions and army corps, which constantly are moving to fresh positions where the fighting is fiercest. At one village the traveler is stopped by a French sentry; at the next by a Belgian, and perhaps a mile farther on by a British soldier. All appear to be working with absolute harmony.

Along the country roads, in the fields, and in the yards of farm houses, French soldiers could be seen making themselves as comfortable and as happy as possible in the cold and wet weather. Their camp fires dotted the roadside, and over them were boiling great kettles of soup. Here the men sat in groups under such shelter from the rain as they could improvise, and passed their hours in eating, sleeping, talking and playing.

AIR LOSSES OF GERMANS.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PARIS, Dec. 4.—Computing the German aerial losses as near as possible, it is figured that the Germans have lost seven Zeppelins and fifty-two aeroplanes, with eighty-six officers and men. At present the Germans do not possess more than twenty-six airships and 287 aeroplanes all told.

Prosperity.

RESTORATION OF CREDIT A BOON TO FINANCES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Bradstreet's Review will say tomorrow:

Financial recuperation and resumption make for improved basic conditions for the future, but irregularity still is the distinguishing feature in trade and industry, and a very plainly-marked line of divergence is domestic trade movements. The resumption of bond dealings at New York and in stocks and bonds at outside markets, the reopening of the call money market, the growing ease of money reflected in that market and in the market for commercial paper, are all evidences of progress, and point to a possible early restoration of complete financial and credit machinery.

In export trade war orders and grain exports furnish sources of marked activity, though cotton exports, despite further expansion and the largest week's total since the war began, are still far below a year ago.

Demand for American products to be used by the troops in the field is in turn reflected in activity in favored industries, and many lines are reported busily employed thereon, though a jarring note is found in reports that foreign takings have been exaggerated at some markets.

Bank clearings this week, according to Bradstreet's, were $3,094,135,000, a decrease of 10.5 per cent. from last year; business failures for the week were 448, against 356 in the corresponding week of last year. Wheat exports, including flour from the United States and Canada, 9,875,991 bushels, against 5,317,958.

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ilies of Rhode Island. He is a stanch Republican, and a year ago, when former President Taft was a guest of honor upon the erection of the Perry monument at Put-in-Bay, O., Col. Alexander was one of the reception party.

Col. Alexander was appointed to membership in various State commissions while Gov. Gregory was in office some ten years ago. At that time he also gained a national reputation for a hobby. He was a scientific cultivator of clams, and from this he gained the title of clamologist of Rhode Island. He gained his title of "colonel" in the First Light Infantry of Rhode Island, the most exclusive chartered command in the State.

When arrested Col. Alexander was in his office in the wholesale grocery house of Alexander Bros., of which he is a member and which is said to be one of the largest concerns of its kind in the East.

Aside from this business the prisoner is a director of the Canadian Steel Company, director of the Union Trust Company, one of the largest banks of Providence; of the Nicholson File Company, the American Screw Company, and various other large enterprises. He owns orange groves in California and Florida, and it was while spending the winter at his western home that he is said to have met Miss Cope. He probably is as well known in a dozen cities as he is at home. In New York he is a member of the Athletic Club. In Boston he also is a member of the Athletic Association. He has a country home at Rumstick Point, on Narragansett Bay, and still another residence at Williamstown, Mass. But he resides a greater part of the time with his wife and two daughters at Providence.

WOMAN ACCUSES MARTIN MULHALL.

CHARGE AGAINST LOBBYIST COMES AS THE RESULT OF A FAMILY QUARREL.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BALTIMORE (Md.) Dec. 4.—Testifying in criminal court today, Mrs. Samuel H. Springer declared that Col. Martin M. Mulhall, self-confessed lobbyist, and known throughout the country, had kept her daughter, Mrs. Bessie Springer Spicker, as his personal property in a fourth floor room of a downtown building for three years.

Mrs. Springer was testifying in a case brought by her husband against Col. Mulhall, for assault. Both of the Springers testified that Mulhall had interfered in a family quarrel, and Justice Elliott fined him $100, stating his interference was entirely unjustifiable.

It was during the recital of her family woes that Mrs. Springer made reference to her daughter and Col. Mulhall. She declared with much emotion that she would "stick to her child even should she sink to the gutter."

AUSTRIA SEIZES OUTPUT OF OIL.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VENICE (via London) Dec. 4.—The Austrian government has confiscated the entire output of oil in Austria-Hungary. Refiners have been forbidden to supply oil to the trade. The stocks in the hands of dealers will be exhausted within ten days, it is said.

CALLING ON BOYS TO DEFEND FRANCE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BORDEAUX (via Paris) Dec. 4.—The 300,000 youths of 18 years in France, who normally would begin service in the army in October of 1916, are by government decree to be called to present themselves for examination beginning on the 20th of this month. Their military training probably will begin next March.

Should the necessity arise, these youths probably could be sent to the fighting line next July.

German Envoy Quits Italy.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—M. Von Flotow, the German Ambassador to Italy, has been obliged to take a long leave of absence on account of his health. Emperor William has charged Prince von Buelow, former German Imperial Chancellor, with the affairs of the Embassy.

Labor.

TIRES OF UNION RUNNING MINES.

Employer Tells Committee He is Through with It.

Want Men Discharged on the Slightest Pretext.

Many Wage Increases Often Granted Voluntarily.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

DENVER (Colo.) Dec. 4.—"I am theoretically in favor of union labor; practically I have no applause for it," Walter A. Curtis, president of the Rapson Coal Company, an employer of union labor, testified before the Federal Commission on Industrial Relations today. "Just now I have a controversy with the Pit Committee of one of my mines. If the union does not stand back of me in disciplining the committee by discharging it, I am going to get rid of union labor. I am going to see who is running our mines, the Pit Committee or the company."

The Pit Committee, he said, had decreed that certain men who had attended the funeral of a non-union miner at a neighboring non-union mine should be discharged for visiting the body.

Mr. Curtis testified he signed a contract with the United Mine Workers of America ten years ago and then went back to non-union labor because of arbitrary and excessive fines placed on men by the union mine committees, which, as president of the company, he was expected to collect for the union.

J. F. Welborn, president of the Colorado Fuel and Iron Company, followed Mr. Curtis in his testimony with a statistical review of all the strikes in Colorado since 1890. The total employees of the company when working to full capacity before the present strike was 6000. About 40 per cent. went on strike. Some left before the strike became effective, and some just after. In each case they were intimidated, he alleged.

Without demands, he said, there had been three successive increases of wages of 5 cents per ton since 1902, the last being made on April, 1, 1912. The policy of the company had been to anticipate demands by increases of wages.

President John McLennan of district No. 15, United Mine Workers of America, testified that the Mayor and officials of incorporated towns in the mining district were usually officials of the companies. None but the company stores were allowed in such towns.

In cases of accidental deaths the Coroner, he said, used the same jury during his entire term. The jury in one county had been working twenty years.

"With one or two exceptions, the verdicts they render have always exonerated the companies from any blame," he asserted.

By a system of placing men of different nationalities to work together, he said, the companies prevented discussion of their grievances. There were from twenty-two to twenty-six tongues spoken in each mine.

"There has been no law in Southern Colorado for ten years, but that of the operators and that of the mine superintendents' gun," he declared.

TOYS AND GOODS FOR MISSIONARIES.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Laden with a full cargo of dry goods, boots and shoes, toys and supplies for missionaries, the American schooner Adelia T. Carleton sailed today for ports on the west coast of Africa. According to officers of the American Tropical Trading Company, this is the first of a regular service of ships that is to be established to bring the United States trade that has heretofore been going to Germany. The Carleton's first port of call will be Monrovia. A return cargo of ivory, furs, etc., already has been arranged for, the promoters say. The supercargo carried 6000 samples of American merchandise.

Analytic.

RECENT GERMAN TACTICS NOTABLE ACHIEVEMENT.

BY AN ASSOCIATE EDITOR OF "THE ARMY AND NAVY JOURNAL."

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—The report of fighting at Becelaere, seven miles east of Ypres, indicates a gain of three miles by the British troops in this district. This gain in itself makes little change in the strength of the opposing positions, but it seems to indicate the beginning of more important operations. Both the British and the Germans are reported to be rushing troops to Western Belgium, but it cannot yet be determined which is the cause and which is the effect.

Not only in Belgium, but also on the southern flank of the battle line, the reports from Paris show an increase in the activities of the armies of the allies. North of Arras the Germans are delivering assaults with greater energy than those of the recent fighting. These movements of troops are still, however, confined to relatively small portions of the battle line.

GERMANS' ACHIEVEMENT.

The showing made by the Germans in the campaign in France and Belgium during the last three weeks is a noteworthy achievement in military history. Their strategic plan called for the concentration against Russia of every possible man in order to increase their chances of success in the field, which was for the time of greatest importance. Not only have they delivered an unusual effort against the Russians, but while doing so they have immobilized the immense armies of the allies.

The lull in the fighting in France has been again for the strategic plan for the Germans and has enabled them to concentrate a large part of their military strength against the Russians. In the fighting in Poland the operations have been directed with noteworthy ability, but have been countered by larger forces just as ably controlled.

When the last German invasion was checked and driven back after within fifty miles of Warsaw they repeated the blow on the same spot by rushing reinforcements from Thorn. This time the advantage of convenient rail transportation lay with the Russians and enabled them to bring forward still larger reinforcements for their armies from their central provinces. The Germans were held fast to a line ten miles west of Lowicz, where the fighting seems to have resulted in a deadlock.

THIRD GERMAN RUSH.

The third great effort of the Germans in this campaign is now being carried out between Lodz and Czestochowa. The first German rush was stopped at Lusk and Szozercow, thirty miles west of Piotrkow. The fighting in this district will not be determined, however, until both sides have thrown in all of their available reserves.

On their north flank and on their center the Russians have been able to check the recent invasion, but at the expense of the abandonment of the western quarter of Poland. On the south flank, however, they have been more successful. By their capture of Wieliczka, they gain another step in their campaign for the possession of the broad natural passes to the south and west of Cracow.

The campaign in Poland is a good illustration of the advantages of strategic retreat. If the Russians had tried to make a stand near their border they would have been in danger of being overwhelmed. By retreating to the vicinity of Warsaw before engaging in the decisive battle they gained the advantage of large numbers of reserves and also of improved rail service. The Germans, on the other hand, lost strength in both of the above respects. For this reason the positions now occupied by the opposing armies in Poland seem on the whole to favor the Russians.

COBB INTERVIEW IS REPUDIATED.

STATEMENTS ATTRIBUTED TO KITCHENER SAID TO BE IMAGINARY.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The Press Association announced tonight that it had been officially informed with reference to an interview purporting to have been had by Irvin S. Cobb with Lord Kitchener, which was printed in the United States, then cabled to London and published here today, "that the language is not that of Lord Kitchener, and that His Lordship's official representative expresses surprise that it should have been regarded possible that Lord Kitchener used such expressions."

The official press bureau tonight issued the following statement on the subject:

"With reference to a so-called interview with Mr. Cobb: Although Lord Kitchener saw Mr. Cobb a few minutes on October 21, nothing in the nature of a special interview was granted, and the remarks attributed to the Secretary of State for War are imaginary."

The interview referred to above was printed by an American weekly magazine, and was widely copied by newspapers throughout the country.

COBB STANDS PAT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Irvin S. Cobb made this statement tonight regarding his interview with Lord Kitchener:

"By arrangement of a third person of prominence in England I did see Lord Kitcheer on October 21 for about forty minutes. I used no pencil and paper during the conversation, following the custom of interviewers. I afterward reproduced the conversation with Lord Kitchener as exactly as I could. I did not deliberately or wilfully misrepresent him, and I am quite positive I caught his meaning, and as nearly as possible the text of what he said, and I am sure that I quoted him correctly. I have had some experience as an interviewer, and I have a fairly good memory."

FRENCH STATESMEN IN ARMY.

Two Hundred Members of Parliament May Have to Leave Their Posts to Make Laws.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BORDEAUX (via Paris) Dec. 4.—Two hundred members of the French Parliament, out of the total of 897, are serving with the army. The Cabinet is considering how it can best arrange for these members to leave their posts temporarily so that they may take part in the forthcoming extraordinary session of Parliament.

In Flight by Airship.

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it is evident that the attacks which have been made have not met with much success.

Under the title, "Four Months of War," the French bulletin of the armies is publishing a report of the entire operations of the war. In it the explanation is made that the French were unable to take the offensive until the British army was ready and that the advance into Alsace, which has been criticised as bad strategy, was designed to draw the Germans from the Belgian front. This plan did not succeed, it says, and the allies were driven back to the Seine.

The arrival of Australian and New Zealand contingents in Egypt on forty transports is quoted as another triumph for the British navy. The German cruiser Emden was not far from this fleet of transports when she was overtaken and destroyed by the Australian cruiser Sydney. It is taken for granted, however, that the convoy of the transports was so strong that even the Emden would not have dared attack them.

The statement made in the Italian Parliament by Premier Salandra that Italy should maintain her attitude of watchful and armed neutrality has created much interest here and sympathy is expressed for the aspirations of the Italian people.

STRUCK GERMAN—TEN YEARS.

Violent English Prisoner is Sentenced by Court-Martial for Outbreak in Concentration Camp.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—A British prisoner of war named Lonsdale, confined in the Doeberitz camp, has been condemned by a German court-martial to ten years' imprisonment for a violent attack on his custodians. The incident leading to the trial of the man is thus described by the Lokal Anzeiger:

"When the occupants of one of the tents in the camp failed to turn out for work, a group of reservists was ordered to drive them out. This resulted in some scuffling and the free use of the butt ends of rifles. Lonsdale struck one of the German soldiers in the chest and tried to hit him in the face. A sergeant-major drew his sword and hit Lonsdale several blows on the back.

"At the trial the president of the court-martial told witnesses to speak the truth and not to be influenced by hatred of the English. Lonsdale admitted that he had committed the assault. The prosecutor, Dr. Kohl, did not ask for the death penalty or a life sentence. He said that the verdicts of German military courts were vastly superior to those in hostile countries, which were dictated by hatred. He invited the court to impose a sentence of imprisonment for a decade."

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evident that the attacks which been made have not met with success.

der the title, "Four Months of " the French bulletin of the is publishing a report of the operations of the war. In it explanation is made that the ch were unable to take the of- e until the British army was and that the advance into Al- which has been criticised as bad ny, was designed to draw the ans from the Belgian front. This oid not succeed, it says, and the were driven back to the Seine.

arrival of Australian and New nd contingents in Egypt on forty ports is quoted as another tri- for the British navy. The Ger- cruiser Emden was not far from fleet of transports when she was aken and destroyed by the Aus- cruiser Sydney. It is taken for ed, however, that the convoy of nsports was so strong that even Emden would not have dared at- them.

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OPPOSE INQUIRY INTO DEFENSES.

Democrats Fighting Shy of Gardner Resolution.

Fortifications of New York Said to be Adequate.

Declared to be Capable of Destroying Any Fleet.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Opposition to Representative Gardner's resolution for an investigation by a commission into the preparedness of the United States for war was expressed to President Wilson today by Representatives Fitzgerald and Sherley, the ranking members of the House Appropriations Committee. Each told the President he was preparing to speak on the subject in the House.

"I am against any spectacular investigation into this subject," Mr. Fitzgerald said. "All the facts are available to anyone interested in the question, and through hearings before the regular committee debate and on the floor the question will be thoroughly reviewed before the coming session is over."

Mr. Sherley told the President that statements attributed to Mr. Gardner that the defenses of New York were antiquated were incorrect. He said that the fortifications of the United States were in excellent shape, and added that he had been informed by competent army officers that the defenses of New York could destroy any attacking fleet.

The President will go into the question further on Monday, when he will see Mr Gardner and Senator Tillman, chairman of the Senate Naval Affairs Committee.

Discussing government appropriations generally, Mr. Fitzgerald told the President unusually rapid progress was being made on the various bills and that there would be little trouble in completing all of them during the forthcoming session, if new legislation of a controversial nature were not pressed.

GARDNER REPEATS HIS CHARGES.

HIS FIGURES ON TORPEDOES CAME FROM DANIELS'S OWN DEPARTMENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Augustus P. Gardner, Congressman from Massachusetts, in an address before the Contemporary Club here tonight replied to the statement of Secretary of the Navy Daniels regarding recent assertions of Mr. Gardner as to the inefficiency of American naval and military preparations.

"Secretary Daniels," Mr. Gardner said, "has given out a special report of Admiral Straus to prove misleading my declaration that of long range torpedoes there are only fifty-eight in the navy. I do not remember making that statement, because my impression is that there are not so many as fifty-eight long range torpedoes on hand.

"I reiterate the statement that I have made heretofore, that there are 1000 torpedo tubes on the ships of the navy and there are 550 long range torpedoes built, building or appropriated for."

Mr. Gardner said he obtained his information from Admiral Straus himself.

"Most of my figures," he said, "were prepared for me in Secretary Daniels's own department."

Mr. Gardner said a Congressional inquiry into the national defense would reveal many absurdities, notably that there is no cordination in the preparation of military and naval appliances.

"One committee looks after the fortifications, another the army, and the navy," he continued.

"The fortification committees provides for the guns for the regular and volunteer army; the army committee provides the guns for the militia. Can anything be more absurd?

"I state without fear of successful contradiction that the big guns in the new dreadnaughts of Great Britain and Germany are of such long range that the battleships can stand a mile outside of the range of the guns on the fortifications of New York and demolish the forts."

Mr. Gardner has an appointment to discuss the matter of a Congressional inquiry with President Wilson. This conference will take place next Monday morning at 11 o'clock.

COTTON CARGOES FOR GERMANY.

SHIPMENTS WILL BE FORWARDED IN THE NEXT FEW MONTHS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Cotton shipments from America to Germany and Austria are expected by State and Commerce Department officials to reach 100,000 to 150,000 bales a month as soon as the marine insurance rates can be adjusted more satisfactorily to the shippers.

In this connection the committee named by the Secretaries of State, Treasury and Commerce to consider the foreign cotton market situation today issued the following statement:

"It is evident from the replies from our consular circular that there is a tremendous demand for cotton in Germany and Austria, and the prices are ranging from 14 to 18 cents a pound. The principal difficulty at present seems to be the high rate of marine insurance. Otherwise the shipment of cottom from the United States to Europe would be facilitated."

Efforts are to be made as soon as Congress meets to amend and broaden the war risk bill.

RURAL CREDITS SYSTEM. ABANDON INDEPENDENT PLAN.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The United States Rural Credits Commission abandoned plans today for an independent rural credit system and appointed a sub-committee to draft an amendment to its bill, making the system subordinate to the Federal Reserve system. This action removes the principal difference between the advocates of rural credits

Handicap to Navy.

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repairs, and having an entirely new set of batteries installed. They will not be ready for sea duty for the next two months.

On her way from Newport to New York recently the commander of E2 smelled the familiar odor of chlorine gas. A call by wireless brought assistance and the vessel was towed back to port, where an examination of the ship's batteries revealed a typical condition of affairs.

For some reason—a slight crack, perhaps, or unusual strain—sulphuric acid had escaped from one of the jars and attacked the steel of the ballast tank and had eaten through, so that when the tank was filled the battery itself was flooded.

Even more serious was the condition recently discovered on D1. A providentially-held inspection of the vessel's batteries disclosed the fact that in this instance the acid had eaten its way to the gasoline tank and that the batteries were flooded with gasoline. Had the vessel been at the time under way, and a chance spark from a short circuit or other cause ignited the gasoline, a frightful explosion with the loss of the ship and all on board must have been the result.

Another four of the seventeen submarines on this coast are in the New York navy yard, in dry dock. With these four the case is more serious than with the others. Not only are there lead batteries on board, as a cause of eternal vigilance and trouble, but the foundation plates beneath the engines have proved inadequate to the load they are called upon to support. They are being largely reconstructed and it will be several months before they will be able to render efficient service.

Of the four submarines thus remaining, the only ones now in commission north of the Canal Zone, two are drawn up against the dock opposite the public landing at New London undergoing minor repairs, and two more are at anchor in the harbor entrance, on one of which one engine is said to be out of commission.

Summarizing, therefore, it may be said that not including the submarines in the Canal Zone, there is exactly one submarine on the Atlantic Coast fit for efficient sea duty.

Until recently no other type of battery than the one now in use in submarines has been available. So no one in the Navy Department can properly be held responsible for not getting better equipment.

In deciding upon the use of the recently-discovered Edison batteries in new ships, Mr. Daniels may have taken an important step toward making the submarine a more certain and efficient weapon of warfare in the future. But he has not met the present situation—with only four submarines north of the Panama Canal in commission and only one of these in real fighting trim.

ADMIRAL STICKS TO BATTLESHIPS.

DOES NOT BELIEVE TIME HAS COME TO SACRIFICE OUR DREADNAUGHTS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—While the submarines have been operating successfully in ideal fields during the European war, the American navy should accord important functions to both battlesships and submarines and not sacrifice the battleships for the submarines, in the opinion of Rear-Admiral Watt, chief constructor of the navy, who outlined his views today before the House Naval Affairs Committtee.

Questioning by members during the admiral's statement developed a strong sentiment in the committee for increasing the submarine strength of the navy.

Admiral Watt explained that the Navy Department purposed to let a contract on December 15 for a submarine weighing 1000 tons, with a speed of twenty miles an hour, designed to stay under the water longer and to have a greater radius of action than any other submarine afloat.

Rear-Admiral Griffin, chief engineer of the navy, told the committee of progress made in building the world-girdling system of wireless telegraph towers, of which the Arlington and Honolulu stations are to be a part.

Speaker Clark in Washington.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Speaker Clark returned to Washington today after a lecture trip, which has taken him through many States in the South, New England and the Middle West since the adjournment of Congress late in October.

To Finish Great Dry Dock.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Secretary Daniels announced today that a supplemental contract had been signed with the San Francisco Bridge Company for completion of the great naval dry dock at the Pearl Harbor naval station, Hawaii. Work on this dock was suspended nearly two years ago, when the bottom heaved.

INQUIRY FROM LOS ANGELES.

Woman Asks Denver Police to Locate Sister Whom She Has Not Seen for Ten Years.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

DENVER, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Agnes Lind, No. 818 South Figueroa street, Los Angeles, has asked the Denver police to locate her sister, Miss Agnes Rafstedt. The latter, she says, is wealthy and came to Denver from New York six years ago. They were to have met here, but Mrs. Lind left for Los Angeles before her sister arrived, and she has heard nothing from her since.

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REPORTS ARMY WELL EQUIPPED.

Six Months' Reserve Supply Instantly Available.

Gen. Aleshire Says Militia is Well Outfitted.

Factory Could Keep up with Rush of Recruiting.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The United States army has a six months reserve of clothing, shoes, camp equipment and supplies, and in this respect is in a better state of preparedness than ever before, according to a statement today before the House Military Affairs Committee by Maj.-Gen. Aleshire, quartermaster-general of the army. With Gen. Aleshire, as a witness, and Assistant Secretary of War Breckinridge present to volunteer suggestions, the committee began hearings in the framing of its army appropriation bill.

"We have a good start in everything," Gen. Aleshire said. "Every army post has a supply of reserve clothing for the regular men of the army at the post. There are 128,000 of militia, who are equipped for field reserve clothing, though not to the same extent as the regular army.

"All of the militia are not yet so fully equipped," Mr. Breckinridge suggested, "but they are in process of being equipped within the next six months."

Gen. Aleshire said that with the clothing in the army depots the United States could outfit 175,000 men with clothes, in addition to the regular current supply at the posts, and that within twenty days the War Department could arrange for the delivery of 15,000 pairs of shoes and for a similar extraordinary supply of underwear, ponchos and other articles. It was explained that there was a reserve supply of 2616 tents, which would accommodate eight men to a tent.

"With the start that we have," he added, "we could keep pace with the recruiting of men in time of need with their clothing. Our factory at Philadelphia could manufacture 1000 garments a day—coats or pants. We could take care of 300,000 or 350,000 men of the army and militia within thirty days and could provide for 750,000 within a reasonable time."

Gen. Aleshire's statement brought out the fact that Assistant Secretary Breckinridge is working on a list of private automobiles that could be taken over by the government in time of need. Mr. Breckinridge himself explained that in the European war the experience has been that the automobile trucks could keep up with any movement of the troops.

Gen. Aleshire also testified the cost of the rations had increased in America and decreased in the Philippines. The cost per ration had increased here from 24.20 cents to 24.39 cents.

GERMANS IN SIBERIA.

American Missionaries Will Investigate Their Condition, Which is Reported to be Serious.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—American Minister Reinsch at Peking has been authorized to confer with the Russian Minister there with a view to having American missionaries in Siberia investigate the condition of German prisoners in Siberia, reported to be suffering great hardships and privations. The State Department acted at the request of the German government.

A colony of German merchants and sympathizers in China inaugurated the movement for relief of these prisoners, addressing an appeal to Berlin. It is supposed that the prisoners are some of the German civilians who were scattered throughout Siberia when the war broke out and who have been rounded up and placed in detention camps.

Postpone Panama Fair.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The National Exposition at Panama which was to have been opened on January 1 next in commemoration of the building of the Panama Canal has been postponed until March 13, 1915. Inability to have everything in readiness by the first of the year was said to be the reason for the delay.

TO INVESTIGATE POLICE GRAFT.

NEW YORK COMMISSIONER ASKS INFORMATION ABOUT THE CLAIRVOYANT RING.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Police Commissioner Woods began today an investigation into the charges contained in the confession reported from Chicago of Frank Ryan, alleged to be the head of the "clairvoyant ring," to the effect that bribes had been given to New York police. One statement credited to Ryan is that a detective from this city visited Chicago with a spurious warrant, showed it to Ryan and told him that unless he paid $2500, the amount of a bond it was claimed he forfeited here, he would be arrested. Ryan, according to his story, paid the amount, with $400 additional for "expenses." He declared, also, it was said, that the bond never was cancelled.

Commissioner Woods communicated today with the Chief of Police in Chicago and State's Attorney Maclay Hoyne, asking for full information regarding the alleged confession and for all statements made by Ryan regarding the New York police with the names of individuals mentioned.

GEN. BARNETT LAUDS MARINES.

WORK OF OFFICERS AND MEN IN MEXICO IS GREATLY APPRECIATED.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4.—The expeditionary force of 2600 marines who arrived at the Philadelphia navy yard on three transports from Vera Cruz were massed today on the parade grounds and addressed by Maj.-Gen. George Barnett, commanding the Marine Corps, who praised the work of the officers and men while in Mexico.

"I am very glad to welcome you home," he said. "I am proud of what you did and I am only sorry that you did not come home with your ranks as full as when you went away."

Gen. Barnett read a letter from Secretary Daniels, commending the services of the marines in Mexico.

In accordance with the desire of the Secretary, about 1000 of the men left tonight on a thirty-day furlough, and as fast as possible the others will get similar leaves.

THE WEATHER BACK EAST.

Cool, Crisp Temperature Prevails Pretty Much Over Entire Country, with Heavy Rain in Ohio.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Chicago enjoyed a clear, sunshiny day, with a maximum temperature of 44 deg., or 16 deg. colder than Los Angeles. The Ohio Valley had 48 deg., with heavy rains, and St. Louis was down to 40 deg. The East is considerably cooler and the Southwest is decidedly colder. The Gulf States are all cold, New Orleans being 4 deg. colder than Los Angeles. Canada continues unseasonably warm, with neither snow nor rain. Other temperatures:

City—	Max.	Min.
Abilene, Tex.	54	28
Boise, Idaho	40	32
Boston, Mass.	44	34
Buffalo, N. Y.	38	34
Calgary, Alberta	20	..
Chicago, Ill.	44	36
Denver, Colo.	44	26
Des Moines, Iowa	30	22
Dodge City, Kan.	54	20
Duluth, Minn.	30	18
Durango, Colo.	46	22
Galveston, Tex.	52	50
Havre, Mont.	36	20
Helena, Mont.	34	26
Huron, S. D.	48	26
Jacksonville, Fla.	78	60
Kamloops, B. C.	34	30
Kansas City, Mo.	42	28
Knoxville, Tenn.	60	52
Memphis, Tenn.	46	46
Minneapolis, Minn.	30	30
Modena, Utah	44	30
Montreal, Quebec	28	24
Moorhead, Minn.	42	26
New Orleans, La.	56	52
New York, N. Y.	46	38
North Platte, Neb.	48	24
Oklahoma City, Okla.	50	30
Pittsburgh, Pa.	46	42
Rapid City, S. D.	52	30
Roswell, N. M.	50	24
St. Louis, Mo.	40	36
St. Paul, Minn.	..	22
Salt Lake City, Utah	52	40
Sheridan, Wyo.	46	12
Swift Current, Sask.	26	12
Tampa, Fla.	76	64
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Williston, N. D.	32	14
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Investment Conditions are More Promising with a Further Reduction in Money Rates—Stocks of Railroads Show Gains up to Two Points.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Investment conditions were more promising today. This was demonstrated by the ready sale of the $12,700,000 worth of Canadian Pacific Railway 4 1-2 per cent. trust certificates offered by a banking syndicate. There was also a further extension of the inquiry for various short-term notes, including New York City 6s, which retained their recent advantage.

Monetary conditions were again a pronounced factor, the relaxation of rates in 30 and 60-day loans being most apparent. There was an evident larger supply of call money at 3 1-2 per cent. and most time renewals were reduced to 5 per cent., this figure being scaled on prime collateral.

A few changes, mainly in the direction of improvement, were seen in the lists of stock prices issued by the exchange. People's Gas of Chicago gained 2 points and St. Paul 1 1-4, with fractional advances in Pennsylvania and Union Pacific.

Trading in bonds was marked by more narrowness and smaller offerings, with an irregular mixture of gains and losses, the latter being more pronounced in relatively unknown issues. Gains extended generally from 1 to 4 points. Virginia debt certificates rose 9 points.

1 P.M. PRICES.

Following are the 1 p.m. prices of stocks dealt in through the Clearing-house Committee of the Stock Exchange:

American Beet Sugar, 28; American Can., 26 1-8; American Smelting and Refining preferred, 97; American T. & T., 117; Atchison, 90; Bethlehem Steel, 42; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 86 7-8; Canadian Pacific, 156; Chesapeake & Ohio, 42; Erie, first preferred, 32; General Electric, 137 1-2; Lehigh, 125; National Biscuit, 121; New York, New Haven & Hartford, 51 1-2; New York Central, 81 1-2; Northern Pacific, 97 5-8; Pennsylvania, 105 1-8; Reading, 139; Southern Pacific, 83 3-8; Union Pacific, 113 1-4; St. Paul, 85 1-8.

CLOSING PRICES.

Following are the final prices of stocks as issued by the Stock Exchange Committee today:

Beet Sugar, 27 1-4; American Can., 26 1-4; American Cotton Oil, 33 1-2; American Smelting, preferred, 97; American Sugar, 101; American Tel. & Tel., 117; Atchison, 90; Bethlehem Steel, 42; Brooklyn Rapid Transit, 86 7-8; Canadian Pacific, 156; Central Leather, 33 1-2; Chesapeake & Ohio, 42; St. Paul, 84; Denver, 4; Denver, pfd., 9 1-2; Erie, first, 32; General Electric, 137 1-2; Illinois Central, 103 1-2; Inter. Met., 11 3-4; Harvester, 91 1-2; Lehigh Valley, 125; Lead, 40 7-8; New York Central, 81; New Haven, 51 1-2; Norfolk and Western, 97; Northern Pacific, 98; Ontario & Western, 19 1-4; Pennsylvania, 105 1-8; Reading, 138; Southern Pacific, 83 3-8; Union Pacific, 113 1-2; Union Pacific, pfd., 77 1-2; Utah Copper, 46; Western Union, 97 1-2; Texas Oil, 125 to 135.

INVESTIGATE GAS COMPANY.

Attorney-General Considering Advisability of Bringing Anti-trust Suit Against Philadelphia Concern.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Investigation of the United Gas Improvement Company of Philadelphia by agents of the Department of Justice is practically completed and the reports are being scanned by department officials to determine whether a suit shall be begun under the Sherman Anti-trust Act.

The company is probably the largest of its kind in the country and controls many gas and electric companies in widely-scattered communities. It does a large business in lighting fixtures also.

The case has been considered by Atty.-Gen. Gregory and G. C. Todd, the Assistant Attorney-General in charge of trust prosecutions. The United Gas Improvement Company was organized with a charter giving large powers in 1882. The authorized capital is $55,520,700.

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Onslaught.

TO FILE CONTEST OF PROHIBITION.

Bishop of the Arizona Diocese Engages Two Lawyers.

Contends Measure Prevents Wines at Sacrament.

Druggists Fear it will Bar Many Useful Medicines.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 4.—Bishop Henry Granjon, head of the Catholic diocese of Arizona and New Mexico, has engaged Eugene S. Ives and John B. Wright, attorneys, to contest the validity of the State prohibition law adopted at the election November 3.

The contest, it was stated today, will be instituted in the name of Rev. Thomas Connolly, pastor of All Saints Church of this city, and will be based on the contention that the prohibition measure is unconstitutional because its sweeping provisions would prevent the use of wine in the sacrificial ceremony of the mass, and thereby contravene the fundamental rights of religious organizations.

FIGHT BEGINS IN ONE WEEK.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Dec. 4.—Because the prohibition amendment adopted in Arizona November 3 would, it is alleged, prevent the use of wine in the sacrament of the Eucharist, thus interfering with religious liberty, individual members of the Catholic church have retained counsel to join in the attack on the measure to be made in the courts. It was announced today that attorneys representing the church men would seek to have the proposed law declared unconstitutional by the United States courts.

Two attorneys also have been engaged by associated druggists who take the stand that the prohibition law would prevent the compounding of prescriptions by shutting out of the State every ingredient or remedy containing alcohol.

The fight on the amendment will be launched as soon as Gov. Hunt issues his proclamation declaring the measure a law. The proclamation will be issued next week.

Whether the case will be heard in the United States Court of Appeal at San Francisco depends upon the wishes of the parties in the contest. In any event the attorneys engaged will petition Judge Sawtelle of the United States District Court here for injunctions to restrain the Governor, Sheriffs and other State officials from enforcing the provisions of the prohibition law, and also to prevent the swearing out of complaints by private citizens for alleged violations.

NATION-WIDE PROHIBITION. HOUSE COMMITTEE TO ACT.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The House Rules Committee will meet December 12 to act on the Hobson resolution for nation-wide prohibition by constitutional amendment. "It will not be necessary to have hearings," said Mr. Henry, "as the committee probably will take action with the information before it."

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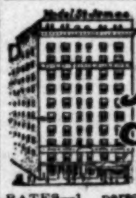

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MAMMA NIPS AN ELOPEMENT.

BUT FORMER BRIDE OF LOS ANGELES MAN WEDS PORTLAND CONTRACTOR.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PORTLAND, Dec. 4.—Pretty Maxine Meiner, 19 years old, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. A. Meiner, this city, whose marriage to Dr. Spiro Sargentisch, formerly of Los Angeles and San Francisco, two years ago, and a subsequent divorce two months later, created a social stir, last night gave her many friends another startling surprise when she became the bride of J. S. Seed, 63 years old, prominent clubman and one of the foremost and richest building contractors of Oregon.

The marriage at the home of her mother really nipped an elopment which had been planned by the couple, which would have culminated in a marriage at the home of the bride's uncle, Eswade Hampton on Puget Sound. The bride's mother overheard prospective planning over the telephone and gave the parental blessing and benediction prior to the ceremony which was arranged by Mrs. Meiner when she learned her daughter had selected her choice from three suitors who had been persistent.

They have gone to Vancouver and will return for a brief visit to Portland prior to starting to New York by way of Los Angeles on an extended wedding trip.

Gritty.

SELLS HAIR, PAYS RENT.

PITIFUL STORY IS TOLD BY A CHICAGO GIRL.

Sacrifices Tresses to Liquidate Debts and then Lives on Half Pint of Cream a Day for One Week. Club Women Find Her a New Position at Increased Salary.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—A young woman, who cut off her hair and sold it in order to pay her room rent, told the most pitiful of many disheartening stories related today at the emergency employment bureau, conducted by the Chicago Women's Club. She gave her name as Mary Simpson, her age as 22, and was a picture of despondency as she sat in the waiting-room with a boy's knitted cap pulled down to her ears to cover the short hair.

Two weeks ago she was dismissed from her place as an office clerk which paid $7.50 per week. Her small savings went to buy a coat when the cold weather came.

"I had my hair cut off to pay the rent on my room, which was $4 back," she said. "I asked a woman on the street, whose hair was the same color as mine, if she didn't want some more. She said she would pay me $2.50 for it. Now that is all gone, but 7 cents. My landlady said she wouldn't trust me any more and I had to give up my room. All this week I have lived on a half pint of cream a day, which costs 10 cents a day.

"Last night I met a girl who earns $6 a week and she took me to her room and told me to come back if I couldn't find work. This morning I walked from Fifty-fifth street (seven miles) to save carfare."

A position paying $9 a week was found for the girl.

THEATRICAL FIRM BANKRUPT.

The Liebler Company, with Debts of $350,000 and Unknown Assets, is in Receiver's Hands.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—An involuntary petition in bankruptcy was filed this afternoon against the Liebler Company, theatrical producers, by Henry Askin of Chicago, and two other creditors of this city. The petition estimates the firm's liabilities at approximately $350,000, and states that the value of the assets is unknown.

Askin's claim is for money loaned and services rendered, aggregating $1000. The other two creditors are Joseph Kornhauser, incorporated, and Gales & Morange, whose claims are for $300 and $500, respectively. The petitioners alleged that the Liebler Company had made preferential payments to certain unknown creditors during the past four months, while the company was insolvent.

Irving M. Ditterhoofer was appointed receiver of the firm by Judge Hough of the Federal District Court. He will continue the business for at least sixty days. All the theatrical productions of the company are to be continued, it was said.

Counsel for the Liebler Company stated that the expenditure of enormous sums this season for the production of plays which had been contracted for prior to the outbreak of the European war had depleted the treasury, and made the company unable to comply with the demands of a few insistent creditors. Had it not been for the outstanding contracts, it was stated, these productions would not have been made under present financial conditions. The attorney set the liabilities at about $325,000 and the assets at approximately $300,000.

Among the assets, it was stated, are a long lease of the Plymouth Theater in Boston, plays which last season gave a net profit of more than $130,000, and most of which are now on tours, and the motion-picture rights in most of the plays heretofore produced, which rights are "extremely valuable."

IS SUIT FOR PROTECTION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—In discussing the bankruptcy proceedings of Liebler & Company, Frank Donaghey, Chicago representative of the concern, said:

"The suit filed was of a friendly nature, and intended to be protective. The assets of the company were about $1,000,000, and the total liabilities will not exceed $350,000. Both Mr Askin and myself have been associated with the company since its organization, in 1898, and while we both are creditors, the amounts would not be grounds for a suit, even in the event of an impending crash."

Infatuation.

STILL LOVES HIS AFFINITY.

Seattle Banker has Left Her His Entire Property.

Gave Her Personal Note on Visit to Los Angeles.

Admits Woman Advised Him to Return to His Wife.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Ivy May Henry, charged with obtaining money on false pretenses by S. Foster Kelley, a retired Seattle banker, with whom she figured in a sensational elopement four years ago, appeared before Police Judge Crist today, and the case was dismissed. The hearing brought to light the fact that Kelley was still infatuated with the woman he induced to desert her home, that he felt morally bound to care for her the balance of her life and that he had executed a will leaving every dollar he possessed to her in case of his death.

Kelley fidgeted in his chair and constantly indulged in cynical smiles while under the fire of Attorney Roche's questions.

He said that he was in Los Angeles in July of this year when Mrs. Henry visited him there with another man, who was a personal friend of his. She demanded, he said, that a note be drawn up and given to her as a "settlement." Later on he testified that Mrs. Henry induced him to give her the note on the grounds that he had agreed to take care of her during her lifetime, but that she wanted to be protected in case of his death.

Kelley admitted that he had been paying Mrs. Henry $125 monthly during the past three years.

"Did you consider Mrs. Henry a good woman when you knew her in Seattle?" Kelley was asked.

"Yes. I still consider her such. I still love her and I have felt morally responsible for Mrs. Henry's welfare."

Kelley stated that he had considerable difficulty with his wife on account of Mrs. Henry, and admitted that his former "affinity" had often advised him to return to her. He said that he had made a will leaving every dollar he possessed to the woman he accused of defrauding him.

GRAIN SHIPMENTS FROM PORTLAND.

HALF MILLION TONS ARE SET AFLOAT IN FIVE DAYS OF DECEMBER.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTLAND (Or.) Dec. 4.—During the first five days of December 465,000 tons of grain will have been set afloat from Portland for ports across the seas. This is almost a third of last month's total exports, which set a record for the year.

Shippers expect an unusual record will be set for December, the only question being a sufficiency of bottoms to permit filling of orders. The British steamer Cardigan left tonight with 240,000 bushels of wheat for European ports and the Norwegian bark Cortez has completed loading 4000 tons of wheat and barley. The American steamer Portland will leave tomorrow for Callao with 100,000 bushels of wheat, this being the first American steamer of the season to be sent off shore from here with a grain cargo. Other vessels are loading.

MISREPRESENTED FAMILY TREE.

WOMAN'S MARRIAGE TO GERMAN ANNULLED AT STOCKTON ON NOVEL GROUND.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

STOCKTON, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Gisela Von Der Marvitz of this city has obtained an annulment of her marriage to Kurt Walter Von Der Marvitz on the novel grounds that he misrepresented his family tree when courting her.

The wife testified that she married Marvitz after he had painted a pleasing picture relative to his aristocratic standing in Germany. It seems that the plaintiff, while a resident of Berlin, had known the Marvitz family, who were highly rated in political affairs at the time, and had taken what Marvitz said for granted.

Then they were married. Following the ceremony his wife began questioning Marvitz about his family, and came to the conclusion that the substance of all his previous conversations were fictitious. She left him the same day and later applied for a divorce. Marvitz was not in court when the annulment was granted.

WOOL SHIPMENT EMBARGO.

Negotiations Between United States and Great Britain on Exports are Nearing Conclusion.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Negotiations between the United States and Great Britain concerning the embargo against wool exports from the British colonies are nearing conclusion. State Department officials said today that it was confidently expected that the embargo soon would be modified so as to permit exportations of wool to the United States.

Ambassador Page has notified the department that the embargo on plumbago will be lifted soon.

RECLAMATION SERVICE CHANGES

Offices of Director and Chief Engineer are Consolidated and One New Position Created.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—The office of Director of the Reclamation Service will be abolished on December 10. The offices of Director and Chief Engineer will be consolidated, with Chief Engineer A. P. Davis in charge. Director F. H. Newell will become consulting engineer.

A new office, Chief of Construction, will be filled by the appointment of S. B. Williamson, an engineer, who was prominent in building the Pacific division of the Panama Canal.

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FIFTY CARS OF ORANGES.

Porterville Sends Largest Single Shipment Ever Leaving the State.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

PORTERVILLE, Dec. 4.—The largest single shipment of oranges ever made from California by an individual shipper is scheduled to leave Porterville for Kansas City, Mo., tomorrow. The shipment, which comprises fifty carloads of fancy Washington navels, is valued at more than $40,000.

Apprehended.

TRIO INDICTED ON A.P. CHARGE.

THEFT OF DISPATCHES IN NEW YORK IS ALLEGED.

Operator Who is Declared to have Taken Them by Means of a Secret Wire and Men Who Received Messages will be Tried Under State Penal Code.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Indictments were returned today by the grand jury against H. L. Linder, James Rice and William M. Patton for wrongfully obtaining possession of and wrongfully revealing the contents of telegraphic messages sent out by the Associated Press. Such acts constitute violations of section No. 552 of the penal laws of New York.

Linder, a telegraph operator employed by the Postal Telegraph Company, and stationed in the office of the New York Globe, was released under bail of $1000. Rice, who is telegraph manager of the New York News Bureau, was released under bail of $5000. Patton, who conducts a sporting news service, known as the Tri-Daily Sporting Bulletin, was locked up in default of $5000 bail.

Judge Mulqueen, in the Court of General Sessions, fixed Monday as the time for the men to plead to the charges. Their cases probably will come before Judge Malone, as Judge Mulqueen will move to another division next week.

Linder, who says he was employed by Rice and Patton to steal news through an arrangement perfected by "jacking in" on the Associated Press wires in the offices of the Globe, has been at liberty on $5000 bail since last Tuesday. He was a witness before the grand jury today. While his testimony was not made public, it is believed he repeated a former confession that he was receiving pay from Patton and Rice for stealing messages.

Prior to May 16 Patton was in charge of the Postal Telegraph Company's branch in the Globe office. When he resigned to inaugurate his sporting service he was succeeded by Linder. It was then, according to Linder, that he first learned of the secret wire which made the thefts possible, and was employed to take the Associated Press dispatches.

Through the medium of a decoy dispatch telling of the sinking of the "Russian dreadnaught Fliba," on November 27, Linder was apprehended. He was arrested and confessed, implicating Rice and Patton.

In addition to telling of Patton's connection with the theft of the Associated Press dispatches, Linder also said that Patton, by means of a secret wire from the Globe to his office, was able to get race results in advance and defraud bettors.

The names of Rice and Patton were not revealed as among those indicted until after they had been arrested today. At the Criminal Courts building Rice made strenuous but futile objection to his name and description being recorded along with those of other men accused of crime.

PICKPOCKETS TURN HONEST.

FAIL TO MAKE LIVING WHEN PEOPLE NO LONGER CARRY MONEY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—More than 100 pickpockets, unable to make a living by following their vocation, have turned temporarily honest within the past two months and have sought work, according to records made public today by the Department of Correction.

"Old-time pickpockets tell us," said Deputy Commissioner Lewis, "that by rifling fifty to sixty pockets a day they can make only $15 or so a week. They used to be able to retire for a month after picking half a dozen pockets. Folks haven't been carrying money in their clothes recently.

"Some of the pickpockets have turned gunmen. This may account in part for the so-called crime wave. If the situation continues all the pickpockets in the city probably will go out of business."

PENSION FOR MRS. CHAFFEE.

Special Bill to be Introduced in Congress to Provide for Widow of the Late General.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—One of the first bills that will be introduced when Congress reassembles next week will be a special pension bill for the widow of Gen. Chaffee, who was left practically penniless. The bill will call for a pension of $250 a month. Several friends of Mrs. Chaffee have made representations to Senator Works regarding a pension, and he will do his utmost to secure favorable consideration of his bill at an early date.

GET PROCLAMATION OF HOLY WAR.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Official advices of the proclamation by Turkey of a holy war against Servia and her allies, were received at the State Department today from Minister Vopicka at Bucharest, Roumania, who received his information from the Servian Minister in the Roumanian capital. The Servian government has announced that all treaties between Turkey and Servia are inoperative.

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Life's Seamy Side.

CHICAGO POLICE ARE INDICTED.

Nine Bills are Voted in Clairvoyant Case.

Books Show Detectives Paid Large Sums.

Through Protection, Swindlers Made Thousands.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—C. P. (Barney) Bertsche, ward politician and for years a leading figure in Chicago, followed today the lead of Frank Ryan, leader of the clairvoyant ring, and walked into the grand jury room and told what he knew of the relations between certain policemen and criminals. So did James Ryan, a worker in the clairvoyant ring.

Their stories, which substantiated and augmented the confession made yesterday by Frank Ryan, resulted tonight in nine true bills being voted against members of the detective bureau, according to Maclay Hoyne, State's Attorney. Hoyne said the indictments will not be returned until Saturday.

Bertsche, who with James Ryan was convicted of having swindled Mrs. Hope L. McEldowney of La Crosse, Wis., to the extent of $[illegible] has been at outs with the police department since a revolver fight in a busy downtown corner some time ago. Detectives James Monaghan and William Egan, Bertsche, Nathan [illegible] who has just been convicted of [illegible] and one or two by-standers, all went to hospitals with bullet wounds as a result of the fight.

After leaving the grand jury room Bertsche told of an agreement he said he had made with Capt. John J. Halpin, until recently in charge of the detective bureau, and Lieut. John Tobin, by which Frank Ryan and his men were to have a monopoly of the clairvoyant business downtown.

Capt. Halpin and Tobin, both of whom recently were transferred from the detective bureau, denied Bertsche's story.

Bertsche was offended because he had been shot at. "I paid those coppers as high as $1000 a month," he said, "and what did I get? A couple of bullets. They tried to make a Rosenthal out of me. They thought I was in so bad with the State's Attorney that they'd get a gold medal for killing me. I arranged with Halpin and Tobin to pay them $[illegible] a month for each place we opened. I paid it to them like you pay your rent, the first of every month. Then the price was raised to $400 a month for each place, and that satisfied them for a while. Then they began sending such fellows as Egan and [illegible] down for what they could get, $[illegible] or $200 at a time. In spite of all, when I was on trial in the McEldowney case, I went on the witness stand and swore I never gave them a dollar in my life."

Bertsche's confession was not made public. It comprises 120 typewritten pages, according to Hoyne.

"He is convinced that the Randolph-street shooting was an attempt to murder him," said the State's Attorney, "and his purpose of confessing was revenge. He believes the police tried to kill him because they feared he would come to my office and confess.

"Both Bertsche and James Ryan made their statements without promise of immunity. They will both have to go to prison, but I have promised that when they serve eleven months I will do my utmost to have them pardoned.

"After we have cleaned up the clairvoyant end of the inquiry we will take up the connection of the police with safe-blowers, burglars, thieves, pickpockets and [illegible]. Bertsche's confession covers it, and he will be our chief witness."

Hoyne made public tonight the secrets of Frank Ryan's red morocco bound books in which the records of the clairvoyant trust were kept. The common method of division of the spoils, according to the book, was 45 per cent. for the swindler acting in the case, 40 per cent. for the police, 10 per cent. for the owner of the place, and 5 per cent. for the "fixer."

Revenues are recorded as "receipts" and "payouts." The following [illegible] were given for four months [illegible]:

RECEIPTS.

June	[illegible]
July	[illegible]
August, 1 to 24	[illegible]
August, 25 to 31	[illegible]
Total	$16,[illegible]

PAYOUTS.

June	$ 1,[illegible]
July	[illegible]
August, 1 to 24	[illegible]
August, 25 to 31	[illegible]
Total	$5,[illegible]

The other red book contains a record of customers and a history of their cases. Some of them [illegible]:

August 5—Mrs. C., $33; [illegible] sell her house. Did sell it. [illegible] daughter married. Worried [illegible] daughter out West. Wants to get [illegible] hotel business. ("C" in the clairvoyant code means one worth keeping track of and following. [illegible] money marked shows the initial payment.)

September 11—Mr. C., $66. [illegible] have success in real estate [illegible] Who and when will I marry? [illegible] the girl love me? Do I really [illegible] her. Sold him script (valueless stock) $200.

August 1—"C" $25 check. [illegible] knocking me in my position? [illegible] can I get to keep company with [illegible] ——? How can I get rid of my [illegible] tate?

November 17—Gave him six [illegible] note for $150.

August 29, 1912, $12. Wants to be a success. Shall he divorce himself from wife? Sold him script [illegible]

October 16—Miss —— C., $[illegible] love with soldier named ——. [illegible] ever get money? Gave her [illegible] days' note for $650.

October 16—Mr. —— C., $[illegible] my wife true to me? In business [illegible] relative. Wants to get rid of him [illegible] go in business for himself. Sold [illegible] script $4000.

August 5—Miss —— C., $[illegible] love. Wants luck. August [illegible] her ninety days' note for $1200 [illegible] November 26, six months' note for [illegible] destroying first note.

When the credulous victims [illegible] to collect the notes, or to receive interest on stock, they would find the whole outfit had moved or the one in charge would inform them the clairvoyant had gone to [illegible] look after investments.

Desperate.

NACO SITUATION IS INTOLERABLE.

More Losses to Americans than to Besieged.

Gov. Hunt Sends Appeal to Bryan for Action.

Coroner Refuses to Hold Inquests on Slain.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NACO (Ariz.) Dec. 4.—Gov. George W. P. Hunt of Arizona tonight telegraphed to Coroner E. A. Folsom here that he had made another appeal to the State Department at Washington for the protection of noncombatants on the American side from the Mexican fire, which for two months has fallen almost impartially on the American town of Naco and the Mexican town under siege.

The killing of one and the wounding of two more persons today on this side of the line caused Coroner Folsom to telegraph to Gov. Hunt an appeal for action, and his refusal to hold inquests over the bodies of those killed and thus endanger the lives of the Coroner's jurymen.

Coroner Folsom also suggested in his message "there is a remedy for this state of affairs which can be administered promptly and without invasion of foreign territory. It is no more an act of war to fire into Mexico than for Mexicans to fire into the United States. Our guns have the longer range and by returning this fire we could force immediate withdrawal of the offenders."

The toll of three from the Mexican fire today included Antonio Bromonte, a Mexican teamster, who was shot through the heart and killed while he was at work in front of the United States postoffice here. The two wounded were Private John Miller of the Tenth United States Cavalry, who was shot in the thigh while in camp, and Manuel Ramos, who was shot in the shoulder while near the border patrol camp.

This makes a total of forty-seven persons hit by the Mexican fire during the siege of Naco, Sonora, began, two months ago, by Gov. Maytorena with his Villa troops. Gen. Benjamin Hill's forces, who are besieged, have suffered less in casualties since November 1 than have the noncombatants of Naco, Ariz.

Coroner Folsom's message to the Governor reviews the previous appeals made by Naco citizens. Some time ago a committee asked the Governor for permission to protect the border with a band of 500 cowboys, replacing the Federal troops of the border patrol. This permission was refused and Gov. Hunt took up the matter with Secretary Bryan and the President.

In commenting upon the result of this appeal, the message says: "There has been absolutely no improvement in the situation. In fact, American prestige has sunk to such a degree that the United States customhouse became a favorite target for the fire of the attacking forces. One day when five persons were shot in Naco, newspapers here printed a statement that President Wilson was pleased with conditions in Naco."

Of the forty-seven persons hit by the Mexican fire, eighteen were Americans and twenty-nine Mexicans. Of the Americans were American soldiers. Of the forty-seven are dead, one is dying and two are in a dangerous condition.

Two days ago Col. C. A. P. Hatfield, commanding the border patrol, sent a warning to Maytorena that a continuance of the firing across the international line "would not be tolerated."

COWBOYS TORTURED TO DEATH.

Three Americans Killed by Mexicans by Being Dragged Behind Running Horses.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

EL PASO, Dec. 4.—The American cowboys, Carl Eck, William Bishop and William Spencer, met their death in Mexico by being dragged by ropes behind running horses. This was evidenced by their bodies, which arrived today at the border for interment at their homes. Eck, Bishop and Spencer were killed a month ago, supposedly by Mexican filibusters at Chocolate Pass in Central Chihuahua.

COATS AND SKIRTS TO BE SHORTER.

AMERICAN STYLE COMMISSION DECREES MORE SENSE IN FASHIONS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

TOLEDO (O.) Dec. 4.—The Style Committee of the National Cloak, Suit and Skirt Manufacturers' Association will decree tomorrow that the tight skirt must give way to fullness below the waist line. The association so decided at today's session of the twenty-fifth annual convention.

The coats and skirts are to be shorter, and almost entirely there will be a tailor-made season in 1915 for American women.

In working out the styles the idea is to have more sense in the fashions. All is modest and conservative, foreign suggestions of color or style being eliminated.

George W. Forney of Cleveland was elected president.

DE WET SMOKES ON.

With a Pipe in His Mouth the Famous Leader is a Prisoner Now of the British in Africa.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 5, 1:40 a.m.—Telegraphing from Johannesburg, Reuter's correspondent says:

"Pale and haggard, but calmly smoking his pipe, Gen. Christian de Wet, the rebel leader, arrived here today, guarded by soldiers with fixed bayonets. He was taken through the streets, which were lined with the excited populace, and placed in the fort, a prisoner pending a probable court-martial.

"Whether he will be hanged as a traitor can not yet be predicted. That some factions favor this, however, is indicated by the tone of the national press, which urges government action against 'those behind the scenes' who stimulated De Wet and other rebels to action. These co-traitors, it is added, should be brought to the shadow of the gallows."

RELIEF STEAMER SAILS.

Batiscan Leaves Philadelphia with a Cargo of Wheat not Endangered by any German Tax.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The steamer Batiscan will sail from Philadelphia tomorrow with 253,000 bushels of wheat for the starving Belgians.

Vice-Chairman Bates said today he wished to reiterate the denial that the Germans in Belgium were levying a tax on food contributed by Americans. This report, he said, had distressed a great many Americans, and had interfered with the work of obtaining supplies.

The commission today assigned the steamer Hanna for transportation of the first contribution of thirty Kansas counties. The steamer Wabonah was assigned to the State of Louisiana.

The Camino Sails Today.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4—The Belgian relief ship Camino, Capt. Ahlin, will sail for Rotterdam at noon tomorrow, with a cargo of flour, beans, canned fruit, condensed milk, and other provisions valued at approximately $275,000.

HEADS HEALTH ASSOCIATION.

Prof. Sedgwick of Boston Elected President of Organization at the Jacksonville Convention.

[BY A. P. DAY WIRE.]

JACKSONVILLE (Fla.) Dec. 4.—Prof. William T. Sedgwick of Boston was elected president of the American Health Association at the closing session of the annual convention here today. Rochester, N. Y., was selected as the convention city for 1915. Other officers elected were: Dr. C. J. Hastings, health officer, Toronto, Can., first vice-president; Dr. S. M. Gunn, Boston, secretary; Dr. Lee L. Frankel, New York City, treasurer.

A new section of industrial hygiene, appointment of a committee to extend the registration area of deaths and births and the more extended use of autopsies in checking up diagnoses in hospitals were recommended today in resolutions adopted by the convention.

MRS. DREYFUS NEW SECRETARY.

SUCCEEDS SADIE AMERICAN IN NATIONAL COUNCIL OF JEWISH WOMEN.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Ernestine Dreyfus of Kansas City was elected executive secretary of the National Council of Jewish Women today at the concluding session here of the organization's convention.

Mrs. Dreyfus succeeds Miss Sadie American of New York, who yesterday quit the council, of which she was one of the founders.

Other officers elected were: President, Mrs. Nathan E. Harris, Bradford, Pa.; first vice-president, Mrs. Eli Hertzberg, San Antonio, Tex.; second vice-president, Miss Rose Brenner, Brooklyn; recording secretary, Mrs. Harry Glicksman, Milwaukee; treasurer, Mrs. Leo Hertz, New Haven, Ct.

The convention made no announcement as to action taken in executive session yesterday on the proposed amendment to the council's constitution, which is said to have prompted Miss American to resign. The amendment, it was said, provided for the curtailment of the executive secretary's authority and placed that office under control of the president of the council.

MRS. GOLDSMITH DECLINES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.—Mrs. Ada Goldsmith of San Francisco surprised the delegates at the National Council of Jewish Women by declining to run for one of the directorships today, and she also declined to accept any office. She stated her time was taken up in too many projects on the Pacific Coast for her to undertake a work which she knew she could not do justice to.

Mrs. Simon Selling of Portland, Or., was also sought as one of the directors, but she declined.

Mrs. M. C. Sloss of San Francisco and Mrs. Solomon Hirsch of Portland, Or., were elected honorary presidents of the council.

It was stated that the resignation of Miss Sadie American, for twenty years executive secretary, and the selection of Mrs. Ernestine B. Dreyfus of Kansas City, Mo., to succeed her, would result in the return to the national council of the local councils at Denver, Los Angeles and other western States that had withdrawn because Miss American continued as secretary.

BERLIN, A MINE LAYER.

North German Lloyd Steamer Interned in Norway Believed to Have Sown Many Explosives.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—The North German Lloyd steamer Berlin, which recently was interned at Trondhjem, Norway, according to a statement issued by the British Admiralty tonight, probably had been engaged in extensive mine-laying operations.

When the Berlin put into Trondhjem, the Admiralty says, she was "almost empty of coal and with her speed considerably reduced, due, presumably, to fast steaming."

Continuing, the report says:

"She has been especially fitted for mine-laying, but so far as known she now has no mines on board, the probability being that these have been sown on the high seas under cover of darkness. From experiences it is known that the track of merchant shipping, neutral as well as British, is a favored locality for this operation.

"German floating mines are being constantly sighted. On many occasions these mines have proved to be still dangerous. Merchant vessels should, therefore, be warned of the grave danger to which they are exposed. They must bear in mind that waters which, owing to their great depth, heretofore have been regarded as comparatively safe, must now be navigated with caution."

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Possibilities.

[U]SING THE SUBMARINE TO DESTROY COMMERCE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

[BO]RDEAUX (via Paris) Dec. 5, [1]2:20 a.m.—The German submarine U 21, which sank the steamers Malachite and Primo off Havre [recent]ly, a statement issued by the [Ministr]y of Marine says, demonstrated [im]portant possibilities of submarines as commerce destroyers. [Activ]ely pursued by a French torpedo flotilla after the sinking of the Melachite on November 23, the statement says, the U 21 was sighted on November 25, but got away after she had fired three torpedoes without result at the French ships. The next day the submarine set fire to the Primo. Again she was caught up with on November 28 near Cape Antifer, but escaped to the northward after an unsuccessful attempt to torpedo her pursuers.

Commentaries.

[OF]FICIAL COMMUNIQUES FROM THE GREAT WAR.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

[PARIS], Dec. 4.—The following of[ficia]l statement was issued to[night]:

"[No]place along the entire front [has the]re been any notable incident. [On o]ur right wing we have made [progress] in the direction of and near [...]ch.

"[Durin]g the day of December 2 we [took ...]91 prisoners in the region of [...]h alone."

[The F]rench official statement given [this] afternoon in Paris was as [follows]:

"[In Belg]ium there has been an in[termittent] but fairly spirited cannon[ade betw]een the railroad from Ypres [to ...] and the highway between [...] and Pass Chendaele, where [the infan]try of the enemy endeav[ored to ga]in ground, but quite with[out succes]s.

"[Near] Vermelles we are continuing [the work] of organizing the positions [taken fr]om the enemy.

"[From] the Somme to the Argonne [the]re is quiet along the entire [front].

"[In th]e Argonne there have been [some] attacks on the part of the [German] infantry, but all were re[pulsed] by our troops, particularly at [...], to the northwest of the [...]Grurie. There has been some [...]firing in the Woevre district [and in L]orraine.

"[There] is nothing to report in Al[sace]."

FROM VIENNA.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

VIENNA (via London) Dec. 4.—The following official communication was issued tonight:

"In the Carpathians, in West Galicia and in South Poland, quiet prevailed generally yesterday.

"The fighting in North Poland continues."

FROM BERLIN.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—The French troops in Flanders are repeatedly attacking the German line, says the official statement given out today at the War Office, which adds that these assaults have been repulsed. The statement follows:

"In the western theater of war French attacks against our troops in Flanders were repeatedly repulsed, as they were also in the region northwest of Altkirch, where the French suffered considerable losses.

"In the eastern theater of war the enemy's attacks east of the plain of the Mazurian Lakes were repulsed, with heavy losses to the Russians.

"Our offensive in Poland is taking its normal course.

"His Majesty, the Emperor, arrived in Berlin last night for a short stay."

The Battle of Malines, Belgium, in motion pictures. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand ave. near Ninth.

Patronage.

INDIANA POLITICIANS INDICTED FOR GRAFT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

INDIANAPOLIS (Ind.) Dec. 4.—Lieut.-Gov. William P. O'Neill, Homer L. Cook, Speaker of the House of the 1913 Legislature, who recently took office as Secretary of State, and other officers and members of the Patronage Committee of the 1913 Legislature, were indicted tonight by the Marion county grand jury.

The indictments charged that the officials signed warrants for pay for employees in excess of the amounts fixed by law and for more employees than are provided for in the statutes.

Others indicted were Mazen J. Niblack of Vincennes, minute clerk and parliamentarian of the 1913 House; Levi P. Harlin, chief doorkeeper of the State Senate; Douglas Bolser, Newcastle, principal doorkeeper of the House; John J. Keegan, Indianapolis, Representative; George W. Sands, South Bend, Representative; Samuel N. Quillan, Indianapolis, principal clerk of the House of Representatives; George M. Rabb, Assistant Secretary of the Senate; Paul C. Hill, Greencastle, assistant clerk of the House; Wade H. Free, Anderson, secretary of the Senate, and George Stelhorn, Indianapolis, engrossing clerk of the House.

Thirty-four counts are contained in the indictments. All of the indictments allege that the men named presented or signed false claims which were paid out of the Legislative funds. In only one case is the man named in the indictment said to have received the money for which the alleged false claims were presented. Stelhorn is the exception. All of the money alleged to have been illegally obtained from the Legislative funds was paid to doorkeepers, clerks and stenographers.

The accused men will be allowed their liberty on their own recognizance, it was stated tonight. Keegan, Sands, Harlan and Niblack were members of the Patronage Committee of the 1913 Legislature.

Numbers.

THIRTEEN THOUSAND IS GERMAN CASUALTY LIST.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 5, 4:10 a.m.—A dispatch to The Times from Copenhagen says:

"The latest German casualty list contains the names of 13,721 officers and men killed, wounded and missing. This makes a total of 658,483, not including the previous Wurtemberg, Saxon and Bavarian lists.

"The Bavarians suffered heavily, according to the present list, with more than 9000 casualties out of the total of 13,000. One regiment of 3000 lost 1600 men in Flanders, including three generals.

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Ajax Fountain Syringe No. 3 .... $2.83
Peerless Fountain Syringe No. 2 .... $1.75
Peerless Fountain Syringe No. 3 .... $2.00
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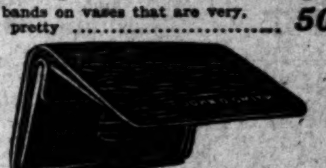

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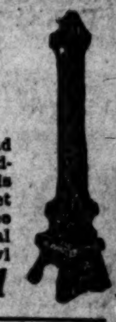

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MARQUARD JUMPS GOTHAM; EXPULSION THREATENED.

Pitcher Signs with Brooklyn Federal Club, Despite Contracts Holding Him to New York for Three Years. Latter Club Designs Legal Action, and Player's Fraternity Drastic Proceedings.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Rube Marquard, one of the New York National League club's trio of leading pitchers, signed a contract today to pitch for the Brooklyn Federal League club, according to an announcement, made by President Robert B. Ward of the Brooklyn club, this afternoon.

Ward stated that Marquard had signed the Brooklyn Federal League contract in triplicate, in addition to making an affidavit that he was a free agent in a baseball sense, and had received and receipted for an advance payment under his Federal League contract.

Secretary John P. Foster of the New York National League club, when questioned regarding Marquard's status as a free agent, said that the pitcher was under contract to the New York Giants in a series of three interlocking contracts, which covered his playing services for 1915 and 1916, and gave the New York club an option on his services in 1917.

Still another contract gave the New York club special rights in regard to Marquard's playing services, and was drawn up with the idea of covering any loopholes, which might exist in the other contract.

The secretary of the New York club scouted the idea that Marquard could play for any other team than the New York Giants for the next two seasons, and intimated that the case would be taken to court if the Giants southpaw endeavored to jump to the independent league.

President David Fultz of the Baseball Players' Fraternity, said tonight that the report of Marquard's signing with the Federals was hard to believe, but that if it were true, Marquard undoubtedly would be expelled from the fraternity. Fultz's statement follows:

"Information has reached me that 'Rube' Marquard, in spite of the fact that he is under a binding contract with the New York National League club for the season of 1915, has signed with the Brooklyn Federal League club. The report is hard to believe, as I feel that the Brooklyn people would not knowingly sign a player under these circumstances.

"If Marquard has done this he will be expelled from the Baseball Players' Fraternity, as the directors will not countenance any such disregard of their obligations by its members."

When informed that the New York club management asserted that Marquard's name was signed to a binding contract to the New York Nationals for 1915 and 1916, with the ten-day clause eliminated, Robert Ward, president of the Brooklyn Federals, said he could not tell whether he would be prepared to fight for Marquard's services.

"I must see the contract first," Ward said. "I am convinced Marquard dealt with me in good faith. In fact, I cannot conceive of anyone making an affidavit, as Marquard did, unless he was convinced that he was in the right. He said that after a careful reading of his contract he felt sure the only thing which bound him to the New York club was the reserve clause.

"Anyway, I can see no difference between this case and that of William Ritter, a player whom we signed last fall. Three days later the Giants signed him to a New York contract, taking advantage of the technicality that he was a few days under age when he signed one of our contracts."

Cross-fire!

PLAYERS' EXCHANGE PLAN OF NATIONAL CLUB STAYS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—While the National League club owners at their annual meeting here on Tuesday were discussing questions of policy and making plans to fight the new Federal League, their managers, according to advance notices, will establish an exchange for players that will result in some of the biggest deals in the history of the older organization.

Several managers, it is reported, are on their way with instructions to bid high for players needed to make pennant-contending teams. Miller Huggins, new manager of the St. Louis Cardinals, wants a shortstop and an outfielder; Manager McGraw of the Giants is said to be after Zimmerman of the Chicago club, and Manager Stallings of the Boston champions has announced that he is in the market for players who will strengthen his team.

Roger Bresnahan, new manager of the Chicago Cubs, has several pitchers to trade for an outfielder, and it is reported that Zimmerman and a pitcher may be offered to McGraw for Eddie Grant. Manager Herzog of the Cincinnati team and Clarke of Pittsburgh are the other leaders who are expected to make some interesting offers if other managers show a disposition to trade.

GRIFFITH FIGHTS JOHNSON'S MOVE.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Plans were under consideration by Manager Clark Griffith and other officials of the Washington American League baseball club here today for preventing Walter Johnson, the club's star pitcher, from carrying out the terms of the contract which he signed yesterday with the Chicago Federal League club. The defection of Johnson would leave the Washington club without a single veteran pitcher on its roster.

Johnson last year received $12,000 for his services to the Washington club, and Manager Griffith claims that $2500 of this sum was paid him as an option on his services for the coming season.

"The best legal talent in the country examined Walter Johnson's 1914 contract with the Washington league team and advised us that the star pitcher was free to sign with any club he pleased for 1915," President Gilmore of the Federal League said in Chicago today, in reply to the threat of the Washington club officials to appeal to the courts to prevent Johnson from jumping to the Federals.

"We would prefer not to go to court about it, but if the Washington club insists upon spending money for litigation we will meet them. Johnson will play with the Chicago Federal League team next year and the year after, as his contract with us is legal and will stand every test."

TRAINING TRIPS MUCH TOO LONG.

THOMAS OF CUBS BELIEVES IN ONE MONTH AT CAMP.

The idea of President Thomas of the Chicago Cubs for a short training trip is meeting with much favorable comment, the opinion being expresed that extended training trips are folly. The Cubs, according to Mr. Thomas's plan, will go to Tampa March 1 and break camp April 1, playing a full schedule of exhibition games on their way north.

WALT M'CREDIE BREAKS RECORD.

THREE INFIELDERS TO MAJOR LEAGUES SETS A NEW MARK.

In sending three infielders to the majors in one season, Walter McCredie has achieved another honor seldom won by a class AA magnate. Second Baseman Rodgers goes to Cleveland, Shortstop Bancroft to the Phillies and Third Baseman Kores to the New York Giants. McCredie has another young star in Davis, who will play third next season, and it would not surprise to see the Portland boss develop a major leaguer out of Bobby Coltrin at short.

See Real Fighting

in the Belgian War pictures. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand Ave., near Ninth.

BUY BALL CLUB TO USE AS AD.

CRACKER TRUST MAY INVEST IN YOU-NEED-A-COOKIE BALL TEAM.

More bake shop stuff is possible in baseball. According to a report from the East the National Biscuit Company people—the cracker trust—envious of the free advertising the Ward baking concern has secured through its connection with the game, plans to buy a major league franchise and make each player wear on his uniform a sign proclaiming that you need a cookie or something like that.

WEEGHMAN WAS ENLARGING PARK.

CHIFED MAGNATE PREPARED FOR WAR DURING THE PEACE CONFAB.

While all the controversy was on as to a new deal in baseball in Chicago it was interesting to read that Charles Weeghman and his fellow Chifed owners are planning to enlarge their North Side park, giving more room in the field and more seating capacity in the bleachers. This announcement may be taken any way one wishes to accept it.

NO SUNDAY BALL FOR NEW YORK.

BLUE LAWS OF 1794 ARE STILL IN EFFECT RULES COURT.

The New York State League has lost another Sunday ball fight, a court at Scranton having decided that the blue laws of 1794 still are in effect and that Sunday sports are under the ban. Last summer an attempt was made to play ball in Scranton to test the law and the players were arrested. The case was taken through the courts and the decision announced is the result. There still is a chance to fight the decision in a higher court and it may be carried up.

THREE-I LEAGUE AFTER NEW TEAM.

ROCK ISLAND CITIZENS MAY BACK A TEAM IN THE ORGANIZATION.

President Al Tearney of the Three-I League has sent out notices for the winter meeting of his league at Davenport on January 12 By that time he expects that arrangements will have been made to finance the new club in Rock Island. Certain it is that by that time some inkling should be had of the way Rock Island people really feel in regard to Three-I ball. In the meantime a Rock Island newspaper is conducting a voting contest to determine that sentiment.

The Burning of Antwerp

in motion pictures. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand Ave., near Ninth.

Pending.

HIGH SCHOOLS CLOSING RUGBY.

VALLEY LEAGUE SEASON ENDING SATURDAY.

Central State Rugby League Fights Final Round at Visalia—Pomona Training for Match with Winner—State Championship Game to Follow.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 4.—The members of the Pomona High School Rugby team are keeping in good condition, training under Coach Clinton Evans, in order to be ready for the forthcoming games to decide the State championship. According to present information the Cardinals must play two more games before the title is determined.

A telegram received here last night from President Simon, at Visalia, of the Central State Rugby League, states that the championship of the San Joaquin Valley League has been forfeited by Bakersfield to Dinuba.

COMING GAMES.

Pomona must first play the Central champions, and this game may occur on Saturday, December 12, but it is not known where the contest will be staged. As a matter of fact the "Cards" could demand a forfeit of this Central League game, because of the lateness of the season, but there is no desire to do this.

However, it is thought, in view of this fact, that the winning central team may be willing to come to Southern California for the game.

Then Pomona, if she wins—and all the local lads have forgotten the word defeat—must play the northern champions; and it looks now as if the opposing team would be the Palo Alto High School huskies, which aggregation Pomona defeated last year.

STANFORD POSSIBLE.

If this should be the case it is stated that Stanford University will be a strong bidder for the game, as a special attraction, all expenses being guaranteed.

On Saturday, Palo Alto is scheduled to play Woodlawn High School for the northern State championship. Assuming that Pomona plays the central championship game on December 12, it will bring the date of the northern game as late as December 19.

BAY CITY OUT.

It is stated by the State Rugby Interscholastic Federation officials that lately San Francisco High School has been trying to break into the federation for a crack at the championship, believing it has a strong Rugby team, and the city press has been boosting the proposition. But as the San Francisco schools refused absolutely to enter the federation last season—the authorities and students claiming that they did not believe in the State championship idea—no heed is being given to San Francisco's clamor, as any factor in the 1914 State championship.

CLUB QUINTETTES PLAY L.A. HIGH.

L.A.A.C. HEAVYWEIGHTS WIN, 35 TO 19, BUT LIGHT TEAM GOES DOWN.

The L.A.A.C. heavyweight basketball team defeated the L. A. High first team, 35 to 19, at the club Thursday night, while the Cliffdwellers' 140-pound quintette won from the clubmen's lightweights, 32 to 18.

The club's first team showed excellent teamwork for its first game. At no time did the High School boys press them hard. Blair played a strong forward game in the second half, shooting five baskets. Elkeles, the old warhorse, could not resist the temptations and played the second half.

Capt. Moses was the Cliffdweller star, with Tad Wieman outjumping Pickles at center. The High School boys still lacked finished teamwork.

Moses also played with the second team. During the first half the clubmen made only two points, but they put sixteen in the basket the last. Miller starred for the Cliffdwellers, making eight baskets.

The line-ups:

L.A.A.C. (Heavyweights.)		L. A. High (First team.)
Record	Forward	Abraham
Blair	Forward	Moses
Pickles	Center	Wieman
Slaughter	Guard	Johns
Wilson	Guard	Sherman
L.A.A.C. (140 pounds.)		**L. A. High (140 pounds.)**
Aiker	Forward	Miller
Swan	Forward	Moses
Allen	Center	Glaswell
Bennett	Guard	Savage
Kelly	Guard	Martin

NORMAL BEATS DOCS.

The basketball team of the State Normal School defeated the fast quintette from the College of Osteopathy by a score of 22 to 13 Thursday. A big crowd witnessed the exciting game. Harvey and Decker starred for the Osteopaths, while the whole Normal team put up a fast brand of ball.

MANN REFUSES TO JUMP.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LINCOLN (Neb.) Dec. 3.—Leslie Mann, outfielder of the champion Boston National Leaguers, announced today he had declined an offer to sign a contract with a Federal League club. Yesterday he received a telegram asking him to name his own terms.

CHARLIE SWAIN PERMANENTLY OUT.

SEATTLE PLAYER, SIGNED TO MINNEAPOLIS, LOSES LEG IN TRUCK ACCIDENT.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Charlie Swain, outfielder for the Seattle club of the Northwestern League, never will play ball again. His right leg was amputated today.

Since the season closed Swain has been working here as a telephone lineman. Last week he fell off a truck and it ran over him, crushing his leg so badly as to necessitate an operation. He was to have played in 1915 with the Minneapolis team of the American Association.

In 1912 Swain played with the Sacramento team of the Pacific Coast League.

PURDUE LOSES NICOL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

LAFAYETTE (Ind.) Dec. 4.—Hugh Nicol, who has been director of athletics at Purdue University for eight years, sent his resignation to the athletic board of control late today. Three weeks ago Andy Smith, head football coach, served notice on the athletic board that he would no longer serve under Nicol, and offered his resignation.

Route Approved.

WAGNER ADMIRES COURSE FOR EXPOSITION RACES

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 3.—"The most spectacular Vanderbilt cup and Grand Prize races ever pulled off," was the expression of Fred J. Wagner, the well-known automobile racing starter, today, following a circuit of the four-mile course through the exposition grounds.

Wagner came here from Los Angeles on his way to his eastern home, at the invitation of the exposition officials, who were eager to get his opinion regarding the course and the plans adopted for pulling off the two races in February. Wagner was in conference for some time with W. L. Hughson, special automobile racing commissioner; Hollis E. Cooley, commissioner of special events; ... well Mullaly of the exposition ... torate, and Commissioners ... Connick, and it was agreed ... two races should be held under ... same conditions as ruled when ... two events were held at Santa ... ica last spring.

Wagner assured the officials ... methods adopted by the ... promoters were looked upon ... ably by all racing drivers ... would mean the drawing of a ... field for both the races.

Wagner left this evening for ... East, and will do everything in ... power to bring the crack ... drivers of the country here in ... ruary. Earl Cooper went East ... Wagner, and before leaving ... that he would have at least ... and maybe three in the Vanderbilt and Grand Prize contests.

ESTOPPEY CLIMBS IN RECORD TIME.

COVERS MT. WILSON TRAIL IN 2:21, CUTTING FIGURE HALF HOUR.

Then he walked, walked, walked. Up the Wilson road he walked.

From the tollhouse to the Mt. Wilson Hotel in two hours and twenty-one minutes (a distance of nine and one-half miles.) This is the feat performed by Eugene Estoppey Thursday morning between the hours of 10 and 12:21 o'clock, beating the former record by more than half an hour.

Estoppey will attempt to run the road on Sunday next. He performed the remarkable feat of 1000 miles in 1000 hours at Venice several years ago. As a mark of recognition for this unparalleled record he was presented with a diamond-studded medal by the Police Gazette.

Estoppey ran in the first Marathon race held in this country. Some time ago he made four round trips on the Sierra Madre trail, a distance of sixty miles, in fourteen hours.

He is now a resident of Colorado, where he has an extensive gymnasium and training school.

REDLANDS LADIES PLAY FINE GOLF.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

REDLANDS, Dec. 4.—Golfing among the women members of the Redlands Country Club has ceased to be a fad, and the competition in the weekly "sweeps" is just as keen as it is among the men. Mrs. L. B. Boyd turned in the best score for the "sweeps" this week, her score being 34. Mrs. D. C. Lefferts and Miss Lorraine Williams tied for second.

Mrs. W. R. Severance, one of the best golfers of the club, has broken the Victoria Club record for women, making the round over the Riverside links in 42. The scores made by those who took part in the competition this week were as follows: Mrs. L. B. Boyd, 34; Mrs. D. C. Lefferts, 39; Miss L. Williams, 38; Mrs. L. L. Moore, 40; Mrs. George W. Wilder, 41; Miss Katharine Williams, 42, and Mrs. M. S. Phillips, 43.

TROJANS TO MEET AGGIES AT FAIR.

PANAMA-PACIFIC ATHLETIC COMMITTEE TO HOLD BIG FOOTBALL GAMES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—The game originally scheduled between the University of Southern California and the Oregon Aggies for Los Angeles Thanksgiving will be transferred to the Panama-Pacific Exposition. This practically assures the exposition of one game of American football.

In the event that neither of the above teams is champion in its own district, the exposition management will endeavor to arrange a later game between the coast champion team and the winner play the Rocky Mountain champions.

McGovern favors American football and although only one game has been definitely contracted for, he hopes to bring a big eastern team out to meet the best team of the Coast or Rocky Mountains.

CHICAGO FEDS INCREASE CAPITAL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Stockholders of the Chicago Federal League baseball club today voted an increase of $150,000 in the stock of the club, raising its capitalization from $250,000 to $400,000.

It was announced that $100,000 of the new issue was subscribed by present shareholders, and that $50,000 of the stock would be put on the market in $100 shares, no one person to be allowed to buy more than ten shares.

HARVARD TEAM COSTLY.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 4.—Harvard's championship eleven was produced this fall at a cost of $25,000, according to figures announced today. The largest item was $7500, the salary of Percy D. Haughton, head coach.

HARVARD'S ROWING LIST.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Dec. 4.—Races with Annapolis, Cornell and Yale will make up Harvard's varsity rowing schedule for 1915, according to announcement tonight by Capt. Harry A. Murray, Jr., of the Crimson crew. Proposals for a three-cornered race, in which the varsity eights of Princeton, Pennsylvania and Harvard would compete, have found no favor at Cambridge. Capt. Murray said that such an event was "very improbable." He added that a second varsity eight would be specially trained again this year for participation in the American Henley at Philadelphia.

NO SUNDAY BALL.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

BALTIMORE, Dec. 4.—The validity of the city ordinance of Baltimore prohibiting Sunday baseball was upheld today by the Maryland Court of Appeals.

TIGERS COMING HOME.

The Tigers, who went to Honolulu under the captaincy of Jack Bliss, set sail for home yesterday, according to word received by President Maier, and will reach San Francisco next Thursday. The Tigers played to 16,000 people on the island, and won every game.

OXY CARNIVAL COMES TODAY.

Occidental College will hold its football carnival for High School gridiron athletes at the old Occidental Field today. This is a football meet. There will be place-kicking, drop-kicking, punting, forward passing and team play for medals. The events will be run off and ... just as in a track meet.

The Occidental freshmen and sophomore football teams will conclude the programme with their annual class game.

STUDENT SPORTS TO BE LIMITED

"BIG NINE" FACULTIES RENEWING EFFORTS TO RESTRICT MEN IN ATHLETICS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The ... faction of the faculty representatives of the intercollegiate conference, "big nine," will renew tomorrow ... battle for the adoption of the ... sport rule," a measure designed to limit the time a student spends in athletics by permitting his participation in only two branches.

The rule was proposed at the ... meeting of the Faculty Committee, but the conference by-laws provide that its rejection by only one ... prevents its becoming law, ... passed by a majority vote at a ... session. Two universities rejected ... hence its reappearance.

NAVY'S BASEBALL SCHEDULE

FIRST GAME WITH ARMY AT WEST POINT—REST OF CONTESTS AT ANNAPOLIS.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ANNAPOLIS, Dec. 3.—The ... baseball game between the Army ... Navy next season will be played at West Point on May 29, according to the Navy's baseball schedule for ... announced today.

All the other games will be played at Annapolis as follows:

March 24, Wesleyan; March ... University of Pennsylvania; March ... Penn State; April 1, Holy Cross; ... 3, Amherst; April 7, Yale; April ... Cornell; April 10, Colgate; April ... West Virginia University; April ... Tufts; April 21, Harvard; April ... University of North Carolina; April ... University of Georgia; April ... M. of North Carolina; May 1, ... son; May 5, University of P... May 8, Catholic University ... ington; May 12, Georgetown; ... Notre Dame; May 19, Catholic University of Washington; ... Georgetown; May 26, Mt. St. ...

TROJANS START BASKETBALL WORK

FOUR OLD MEN OUT FOR ... GLAZE WORKS ON PASSING END OF GAME.

Fourteen Trojans reported for first basketball practice of the ... at U.S.C. Thursday night. The old ... out were Capt. Taylor, Len Livernash, Sprotte and Hall. Holeman, ... mick, Newlands and Walls showed well among the new players.

Coach Glaze had the men ... at shooting baskets for half an ... Then he divided them into two ... for a game. He allowed only one ... on each team to shoot the ball while the others passed the ... around. Holeman shot for one ... and Livernash for the other. ... man's side won.

Coach Glaze uses this method to develop team play and the passing ... of basketball.

POMONA CLOSES FOOTBALL SEASON

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Dec. 4.—Pomona ended her football season here ... when 200 students gathered at Claremont Inn for the annual football banquet. As everyone remarked, it ... a fitting end for a great season.

Coach Stanton was presented ... a beautiful loving cup in token of ... untiring services this year. It ... gift from the men of Pomona College, expressing their appreciation of his work this year in turning ... winning football team.

BOSTON BRAVE ON SANDLOTS

Bert Whaling of the Boston Braves is to lead an all-... team against the Comm... Buffets, one of the fastest ... pro clubs in the south, on the Platt Park diamond tomorrow afternoon. Pete Schneider of the Cincinnati Reds will be on the mound for Whaling's team ... leigh and Frayer will be ... points for the Buffets. To ... grounds, take Stephenson ... nue car.

The Latest.

BOLES MENTIONED AS DILLON'S SUCCESSOR.

Report has Angel Catcher Slated for Management, but Darmody Refuses to Discuss Possible Change. Roy Brashear also has Made Application for the Position—Both Men have Supporters.

BY HARRY A. WILLIAMS.

THOMAS J. DARMODY—we will drop the plain Tom label for a few days anyway—yesterday put in his first day at baseball magnating in his own home town.

Returning from San Francisco with many valuable documents in the lining of his coat, Darmody pried himself from the Pullman, repaired to the ball park, deposited himself in Hen Berry's vacant swivel chair, comfortably planted his No. 10's on the mahogany desk where Hen's No. 11's once reposed, and proceeded to get acquainted with himself as boss of the Los Angeles ball team.

MAKING GOOD.

Darmody is going to make the best kind of a magnate. He can look wise on the slightest provocation. But that is not his only qualification. Just watch his smoke, and likewise that of the Angels under the stimulation of his bank roll.

Newspaper men flocked about him like flies around a can of strained honey. They fired questions at him like a platoon of machine guns shooting paper wads. He answered those questions which he did not refuse to answer. Most of them wanted to know too much. One insisted on him affirming or denying the report that he had signed George Stallings for a period of two years. Of course, if Darmody had done anything like that, he would not let it leak out at this time. If he did, the Feds might get after Stallings.

Another wanted to know if he had asked for waivers on Dad McVickers, the groundkeeper, and what kind of fertilizer would be used to make the grass grow in the outfield. You've got to hand it to these reporters for finding out things.

Everything considered it was a very busy day for Mr. Darmody. Jake Schaeffer, Darmody's business partner, beamed his benediction on the spirited scene, and seemed to enjoy it.

In response to all questions relating to the future management of the club, Darmody restricted himself to pronouncing Pop a thorough gentleman and highclass baseball man. He has not yet held conversation with Dillon.

Talk of a change in the management for the Angels has been so strong throughout the circuit, that the main interest now seems to center on who may be Dillon's probable successor.

MANAGER BOLES.

In the absence of any official announcement that Dillon will not be retained, there is a strong muscle-bound rumor to the effect that Walter Boles is to have charge of the club next season. That such a step has been considered, at least incidentally, there seems to be little doubt. Unless Boles gets the job or one equally good, it is his intention to quit baseball, and go to South America with a moving picture concern.

Roy Brashear, former field captain of the Tigers, yesterday called on Darmody. Brashear is known to be a candidate for the place. The old fence-wrecker knows the game from every angle, and believes that his long service in the game, as well as his able handling of the Tigers, entitles him to consideration.

DILLON WHERE?

Dillon's name has repeatedly been linked with the management of the San Francisco team under Berry, but Del Howard's contract with the Seals has another year to run. Possibly Del would consent to be transferred to some other city willing to assume his present contract.

Of course, should the league be expanded to eight clubs, as is seriously considered, by adding Salt Lake and Seattle, there would be plenty of jobs for all the present managers and a few new ones.

"Frankly, it is too early for me to discuss the question of a manager for next season, or what changes will be made in the club," said Darmody. "The ink is hardly dry on the papers which made me one of the owners of the club, so you can see that I need more time in which to mature my plans.

MUNICIPAL TEAM.

"In a sense, I feel that the club belongs to the people of Los Angeles, and it will be my policy to carry out their desires as far as possible. If the fans want new faces and new blood, they will have them.

"With last season's team practically intact, I feel that we are in better shape for next year's campaign than most of the other clubs. I am not sure that I care for a working agreement with Washington or any other major league club. At least, I will have to be shown where it is to my advantage. I have a fairly wide acquaintance among big league owners and managers, and do not anticipate much trouble in getting all the players necessary."

SALT LAKE FRANCHISE.

Darmody says that Salt Lake is a strong candidate for a franchise.

"Mr. Vandeventer, representing the business men of that city, has met every demand made by the league," said Darmody, "and I am betraying no confidence when I say that Salt Lake's application is being very seriously considered.

POPULAR BERRY.

"The Berry regime in San Francisco promises to be a popular one. The fans up there are strong for the former Angel owner."

It had been expected that Berry would return to Los Angeles next week, but as Mrs. Berry went north yesterday, it may be that they will go east directly from that city. Berry has a number of deals for players which require his presence in the East.

Tom Stephens, who is associated with Darmody in the purchase of the Angels, is expected to arrive here Monday. This will be followed by the reorganization of the club directorate. Darmody says that Charley Weber will in all probability be retained as secretary.

ROLLA FOOTBALL TEAM REBELLION.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Everything is in readiness for the scheduled game between the football elevens of the Rolla Schools of Mines and Christian Brothers College of St. Louis tomorrow. Sixteen players from the mining school arrived in St. Louis this morning, after slipping out of Rolla on an early morning train. The "Miners" anticipated a "kidnaping" by the faculty of the school, which had forbidden the game, and left the town before daylight.

Tonight the sixteen Rolla players retained an attorney to look after their interests should the faculty decide to stop the game through legal proceedings.

In its meeting tonight the faculty failed to determine what form of punishment would be meted out to the players who participated in the game. The board of curators of the University of Missouri, with which the mining school is connected, said in a statement that they had nothing to do with the situation, and that the matter rested entirely with the authorities of the Rolla institution.

POMONA FRESHMEN TO PLAY SOPHOMORES.

FRESHMEN WILL CARRY CANES IF THEY WIN; SOPHOMORES LOSE FOUR PLAYERS.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

CLAREMONT, Dec. 3.—The freshmen and sophomores play their annual football game on Alumni field Saturday afternoon. The freshmen will have the right to carry canes if they win. It has been five years since a class carried canes at Pomona.

The team that has represented the freshmen all fall will play tomorrow with the exception of center. Hilton replaces Austin. It is probably the strongest freshmen team that the college have ever had.

The sophomores have been weakened by the loss of four varsity men —Elliott, McCullough, Dowling and Ashe. With these men in the game the freshmen would have to give up the cane idea.

But as it is, the freshmen have a good chance to be dudes.

NATIONAL SKATING TITLES AT STAKE.

MEET TO BE HELD ALONG WITH OTHER SPORTS AT 1915 EXPOSITION.

Plans were announced yesterday by the Roller Skaters' Association of Southern California for a monster skating tournament to be held early in 1915 as a part of the exposition festivities, in which skaters from all over the United States will be invited to compete.

An affair of this sort was held at Cincinnati several years ago, and this will be the first national skating affair since that date. A committee of three, consisting of Jesse L. Walton, ... Biehl, and Clifford Howard has been appointed to assume charge of the plans.

POLY TO MEET TWO TEAMS A DAY.

COACH HASLETT MAPS OUT HARD WEEK'S SCHEDULE FOR BASKETBALL.

Coach Haslett will have his basketball team play two games a day next week. They will take trips to Huntington Beach, Whittier and Venice, while San Bernardino will play Poly here next Friday in the first big court game of the season.

The Poly quintette defeated Huntington Park yesterday afternoon 46 to 29 and won from the L. A. night school 37 to 25.

Coach Haslett has arranged for a basketball carnival for the members of the squad. Medals will be given for basket shooting, passing and the various fine points of the game.

THOMPSON WINS ON LYONS'S FOULS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—George Thompson of this city tonight won on a foul from Danny Lyons in round two. The boys slugged willingly in the first with honors even. Lyons dropped George with a left-hander, but Thompson did not take the count of one. Lyons hit low several times and was warned. Finally he hit low twice, and Referee Solly Burns stopped the go, awarding the fight to Thompson.

It appeared intentional. In his dressing-room Thompson exhibited a badly dented cup. It was a great go while it lasted.

In the preliminaries Little Joe and Kid Julian slugged six rounds to a draw. Herb Thompson won over Jack Gordon on a foul in the seventh round.

GIBBONS WINNER ON MOHA'S FOUL.

MILWAUKEE BOXER, WORSTED AT GAME, APPEARS TO TRICK DELIBERATELY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

HUDSON (Wis.) Dec. 4.—Mike Gibbons was returned a winner over Bob Moha in the second round of their scheduled ten-round bout here tonight, when Referee George Duffy disqualified the Cave Man for fouling. Twice in the second round, Moha apparently deliberately fouled Gibbons, Referee Duffy and Commissioner William Hart of Eulaire both concurring that the Milwaukee boxer had fouled.

The sudden termination of the match was a keen disappointment to the boxing fans. They had prepared themselves for a knockout, as Gibbons, up to the time of the foul, had the Cave Man at his mercy.

After having been knocked down in the first round and outboxed at every turn, Moha in the second round let his arms drop, and to all intent, deliberately sent over two low punches in quick succession. The first foul did not slow up Gibbons very much, but the second one disabled him and sent him staggering in pain to his corner.

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CALLAHAN LOSES TO CHARLES WHITE.

WINNER TOO STRONG, THOUGH COMPELLED TO EXERT HIMSELF FULLY.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Charlie White of Chicago earned Referee Randall's decision over Frankie Callahan of Brooklyn tonight, but in accomplishing this feat, was required to furnish some of the classiest and hardest milling witnessed here this season. Though defeated, Callahan made a grand showing. White was simply too strong for Callahan, and in addition is just as fast and knows more about the fistic sport.

White's effectiveness was in his hooks, shooting them with either hand to body and face, at times with such persistency that Callahan was forced to fall behind the cover of his arms and gloves to save himself from being floored.

Short arm uppercuts by White also did a lot of damage, as he apparently carried a lot of steam in each punch. The ability of Callahan to absorb punishment not only startled White, but also the majority of the spectators around the ring.

CHICAGO CUBS TRAIN AT TAMPA.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—The Chicago National League ball club, with thirty-five men in its party, will leave here in time to reach Tampa, Fla., March 1 next year, it was announced tonight. The team will play exhibition games in the South for the most part, after March 3.

SAN DIEGO WOMEN'S BOARD.

President Davidson of Panama-California Exposition Appoints Social Board.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—President G. Aubrey Davidson of the Panama-California Exposition, which will be opened here January 1, today appointed as the official women's board, in charge of the social side of the exposition, the following women:

Mrs. Ivor N. Lawson, president; Mrs. Uriel Sebree, first vice-president; Mrs. A. E. Frost, second vice-president; Mrs. T. B. Wright, corresponding secretary; Mrs. Earl Garretson, recording secretary; Miss Alice Halliday, treasurer; Mrs. George McKenzie, chairman of the Social Committee; Miss Alice Klauber, chairman of the Art Committee; Miss Gertrude Gilbert, chairman of the Music Committee; Mrs. Jarvis Doyle, chairman of the House Committee; Miss Gertrude Longenecker, chairman of the Educational Committee; Miss Daisy M. Barteau, chairman of the Union Labor Committee; Mrs. B. G. Saville, chairman of the Federated State Societies Committee; Mrs. A. E. Horton, Mrs. J. G. Burns, Mrs. Clark W. McKee, president of the Woman's Auxiliary of the Southern California Panama-California Expositions' Commission; Mrs. A. S. Bridges, Mrs. E. Thelen, Mrs. Frank von Tesmar, Mrs. Ernest E. White. The wives of the directors who will be ex-officio members of the committee are:

Mrs. Frank Belcher, Jr.; Mrs. William Clayton, Mrs. C. W. Fox, Mrs. G. Aubrey Davidson, Mrs. M. F. Heller, Mrs. Arthur Marston, Mrs. M. F. Ludington, Mrs. Lucius R. Barrow, Mrs. D. F. Garrettson, Mrs. Percy Goodwin, Mrs. Julius Wangenheim, Mrs. F. W. Jackson, Mrs. H. H. Jones, Mrs. George Burnham, Mrs. John D. Spreckels, Mrs. W. A. Sloane, Mrs. J. W. Sefton, Jr., Mrs. R. C. Allen and Mrs. L. A. Blochman.

FARRIN DISBARRED.

Portland Attorney and Prominent Politician Found Guilty of Willful Deceit and Misconduct.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

SALEM (Or.) Dec. 4.—Pronouncing George N. Farrin, a Portland attorney, and one of the Republican candidates for Attorney-General at the last primary election, guilty of willful deceit and misconduct, the Oregon Supreme Court today disbarred him from practice in all Oregon courts.

According to the charges Farrin collected $400 from the Weyerhaeuser Land Company for Alvin and J. A. Smith of Marshfield, Or., by indorsing their names to checks without their knowledge.

Sensational Scenes

in the great European War. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand ave. near Ninth.

MANUAL BEATEN BY ONE POINT.

Huntington Beach defeated Manual Arts in a basketball game at Huntington Beach yesterday afternoon, 31 to 30. The dirt court bothered the local high school men. It took them ten minutes to solve its riddle. In that time Huntington Beach made ten points. After that the Toilers had them on the run but could not make up that extra point.

LIFE GUARDS WIN AT BASKETBALL.

Santa Monica Life Guards defeated the Alhambra City basketball team last night 21 to 19 in a fast, hard-fought game. It was the first of the season for the life guards. At the end of the first half Alhambra was leading 10 to 8, but the water men came from behind.

ARREST PICKETS IN WASHINGTON.

LARGE NUMBER GO TO JAIL FOR OBSTRUCTING STREETS OF CENTRALIA.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CENTRALIA (Wash.) Dec. 4.—Twenty-nine strikers' pickets were arrested today at the Eastern Railway and Lumber Company's plant here, under a new city ordinance which prohibits crowds from obstructing streets and forbids acts tending to provoke assaults.

When taken to jail the men demanded separate trials and the Justice Court was kept busy all day. Eighteen men then pleaded guilty and one case was dismissed. Those who pleaded guilty were fined $5 each and costs. The fines were remitted, but the men all went back to jail to serve out the costs.

Women tonight took places in the picket line at the mill. They were not molested.

The men struck last September after their demands for a 10 per cent. increase in pay was refused. The mill closed down, and when it was reopened last month those strikers who agreed to go back to work on condition that the local union be not recognized were given employment. The pickets' actions caused the City Commission last Tuesday to pass the ordinance that resulted in their arrest this morning.

Wonderful Motion Pictures

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NOVEMBER, 1914.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA, COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES, ss.:

Harry Chandler, Assistant General Manager of the Los Angeles Times, being duly sworn, declares upon his oath that the following is a true and correct office record of the daily circulation of said newspaper for the month of November, 1914.

NOVEMBER, 1914.			Copies.
November	1	(Sunday)	95,000
November	2		57,640
November	3		57,870
November	4		64,710
November	5		61,330
November	6		57,820
November	7		57,450
November	8	(Sunday)	95,000
November	9		57,210
November	10		57,440
November	11		57,410
November	12		57,520
November	13		57,400
November	14		57,810
November	15	(Sunday)	96,000
November	16		58,080
November	17		57,760
November	18		57,250
November	19		58,340
November	20		58,140
November	21		58,300
November	22	(Sunday)	97,000
November	23		57,610
November	24		57,885
November	25		57,550
November	26		59,310
November	27		58,370
November	28		58,200
November	29	(Sunday)	97,000
November	30		58,000
Daily average for every day of November			64,549
Sunday only, average for November			96,000

HARRY CHANDLER,
Assistant General Manager, The Times.

Subscribed and sworn to before me this 2nd day of December, 1914.

[Seal] T. L. CHAPIN,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California.

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NOTICE OF SALE OF ROAD BONDS OF MONTEREY COUNTY AND INVITING BIDS THEREFOR.

Notice is hereby given that on and after the 5th day of January, 1915, the County Treasurer of the County of Monterey will offer for sale road bonds of the County of Monterey of the denomination of $250.00 each, dated January 2, 1915, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent. per annum, payable annually, the principal of said bonds to be payable in not more than ten years from their date, provided that one-tenth of the principal of said bonds shall be redeemed each year, the bonds to be redeemed to be determined by lot by the Supervisors of said County.

The principal of 228 of said bonds shall be payable on the 2nd day of January of each year, beginning January 2nd, 1916.

All bids must be in writing, delivered to the Clerk of the Board of Supervisors of Monterey County, and must be accompanied by a certified check for not less than 1 per cent. of the amount of such bid.

No bid for a sum less than the par value of such bonds, together with accrued interest, will be considered.

No bid will be accepted by the County Treasurer until it has been accepted and approved by the Board of Supervisors of said County of Monterey.

Dated, Salinas City, California, November 17th, 1914.

T. P. JOY,
Clerk.

(Seal)

NOTICE OF ANNUAL MEETING OF LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT COMPANY.

Los Angeles, Cal., November 28, 1914.

To the Stockholders of Los Angeles Investment Company:

TAKE NOTICE that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Investment Company will be held at the office of the Company, No. 756 South Broadway, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Monday, the 11th day of January, 1915, at the hour of 10 o'clock a.m. of said day, for the purpose of electing the directors of said corporation for the ensuing year and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

The stock transfer books will be closed at the close of business on Thursday, December 31, 1914, at 5 o'clock p.m., and will be reopened at 10 o'clock a.m. on Tuesday, the 12th day of January, 1915.

The polls will remain open until 6 o'clock in the afternoon of said Monday, January 11, 1915.

All proxies must be submitted to the Secretary or Auditor for examination and registration on or before Tuesday, the 5th day of January, 1915, at 5 o'clock p.m. of said day.

H. V. DAVIS,
Secretary of Los Angeles Investment Company.
By order of the Board of Directors.

BEFORE THE RAILROAD COMMISSION OF THE STATE OF CALIFORNIA.

In the matter of the Application of RODEO LAND & WATER COMPANY to sell its water, gas and electric plants and systems to BEVERLY HILLS UTILITIES COMPANY, and of the latter company to issue capital stock of the face value of $200,000.00.	Application No. 1425.

NOTICE OF HEARING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the Railroad Commission of the State of California has set a hearing in the above-entitled matter before Commissioner Edgerton, for Thursday, December 10, 1914, at 9 o'clock a.m., in the Supreme Courtroom, Bullard Block, in the city of Los Angeles, California, at which time and place all interested parties will be given an opportunity to be heard.

By order of the Railroad Commission.

Dated at San Francisco, California, this 28th day of November, 1914.

CHARLES R. DETRICK,
Secretary Railroad Commission of the State of California.

December 1, 1914.

Sealed Proposals will be received at office of Treasurer Pacific Branch, N.H.D.V.S., Soldiers' Home, Los Angeles County, Cal., and there opened at 12 o'clock, M., Dec. 30, 1914, for Construction of a Combination Dining Hall and Kitchen at above named location, in accordance with plans and specifications, copies of which, with blank proposals, can be had upon application to the Treasurer. B. W. MOORE, Treasurer

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Religious.

BIBLE STORY OF PHAEDRUS.

Where did the Apostles Get Their Information?

Union of Two Presbyterian Churches Revived.

Bible Worker Calls for New Crop of Mothers.

BY A. M. ROW, CHURCH EDITOR.

No story published since the appearance of "Quo Vadis" has attracted the attention of Bible students that is sure to fall to the lot of "The Story of Phaedrus," the latest book by Dr. Newell Dwight Hillis of Brooklyn. In time it will be read and discussed by practically every student of Bible history, as a plausible and entertaining theory seeking to establish the unknown source from which the apostolic biographers of Jesus secured their information. It is a fascinating vision, told in the plain yet illuminating language of a gifted writer and scholar.

Phaedrus, gifted son of a wealthy father living at Ephesus, was seized by Ximines when the Roman governor confiscated the estate of his father. When Ximines disovered the unusual educational qualifications of the boy he installed him in the official mansion as private secretary, holding him in service as a slave.

For two years Phaedrus endured his slavery with outward equanimity, but inward longings for freedom. Learned, but knowing nothing of Christianity, the boy's friendship was sought by Simonides, a trusted old slave of Ximines, who had secretly espoused Christianity, and by him taken to a clandestine midnight meeting at the house of an old wheat merchant, and there Phaedrus heard first of one Jesus, whose thrilling words were read from a priceless papyrus roll.

When the hungry eyes of Phaedrus beheld the gold coins contributed for the spread of the good tidings he was seized with an uncontrollable desire to escape from the clutches of Ximines. In the intense darkness of the early morning, as the worshipers silently glided from the dimly-lighted room to scatter to their homes, Phaedrus delayed so as ta be the last to depart. He took the rich cloak of the merchant and threw it about his shoulders, hastily gathered up the gold coins and the gold cup in which they had been deposited; two silver platters on which the coins had been collected; a piece of goatskin containing the story of the Prodigal Son, and the priceless papyrus roll containing the words of Jesus; concealed all deftly in the folds of the cloak, and followed the procession through the gate, each one who had preceded him having glided off into the gloom to avoid discovery.

Phaedrus chose a course which enabled him to elude Simonides, who awaited him beyond the wall, and made his way to the dock from whence a ship would sail at daybreak for Rome. Simonides readily surmised whither the boy had gone when he failed to appear to be let in at the gate of the Governor's mansion.

The story of the old slave's self-sacrifice in making hasty and secret provision for the boy's comfort on the voyage; of the startling things that happened to Phaedrus en route; of his conversion through the stolen story of the Prodigal Son; his quest after events in the life of Jesus; his writings in the catacombs of Rome; all these conspire to fill with thrilling interest the remarkable story.

The climax comes in the secret return of Phaedrus to Ephesus and his restoration to the old wheat merchant of all the stolen property, together with beautifully-executed and more complete rolls made by himself in the catacombs, followed by his consecration as the historian of Jesus and his subsequent travels in search of the fullest authentic details of the Savior's life. The book comes from the press of The Macmillan Company, No. 66 Fifth avenue, New York.

CHURCH UNION.

OLD QUESTION REVIVED.

Th much-talked-of union between Immanuel Presbyterian Church and Central Presbyterian Church was up for discussion in Immanuel Church on Wednesday evening, and those present again voted their approval of the plan. Central Church opposed the movement several years ago, and as far as can be learned from good Presbyterian authority, they have taken no action since. The movement naturally starts with Immanuel Church. Central Church has an immensely valuable property near the corner of Second and Hill streets, but the congregation is small. Dr. A. B. Prichard, the pastor, could not be reached last night, though it is certain that the matter has not been called to the attention of the authorities of the presbytery.

At Immanuel Church, Dr. John Balcom Shaw will preach tomorrow morning on "Left and Right-hearted Men;" evening, "Tightening the Buckles." At the after-meeting in the evening, converts of Union Rescue Mission will speak and Mrs. Berne S. Barker of Chicago will sing.

At Central Church, Dr. Prichard will preach in the morning on "Be Renewed in the Spirit of Your Mind," and in the evening on "There is No Respect of Persons with God."

BIBLE INSTITUTE.

WORKERS MAKE REPORTS.

That a new crop of mothers is the most vital need to meet the problems of the day was the statement made by Miss Anita Lake yesterday noon before 200 officers and workers at the Bible Institute of Los Angeles, at the monthly luncheon and conference held in the new building on Hope street.

Miss Lake is connected with the work among high school girls carried on by the institute in different sections of the city, with a "rose room" headquarters for the girls in the institute building. She stated that the greatest difficulty met in work among girls is the unreasonable attitude of the mothers.

Interesting reports were made by Mrs. John Ross regarding her Bible visitations; Mrs. Lillie Manson, working among the Jewish people of the city; J. H. Jamison, who has introduced lighting pictures in his Mexican mission work, and David Cant, who holds meetings among shop workers.

William Sloan, leader of the Yokefellows' work of the institute, reported that the new headquarters will be opened January 1 at Eighth and Los Angeles streets, where a wood yard will be run in connection with the work.

Miss Essie Smith, leader among the classes for high school girls, made a brief address in which she reported classes for Bible study organized among girls of each of the high schools of Los Angeles, as well as in seven surrounding towns.

A PASTOR COMES BACK.

ACCEPTS CALL TO WILSHIRE.

It will be interesting information to many church people of this city to know that Rev. Jesse P. McKnight has accepted a call to the pastorate of Wilshire-boulevard Christian Church, made vacant but two weeks ago by the resignation of Rev. F. W. Burnham. Mr. McKnight will take charge of the work at once and will preach his first sermons tomorrow. For the past two years he has been pastor of the Pasadena Christian Church, where he has been deservedly popular, and to which congregation he tendered his resignation last Sunday. Prior to going to Pasadena he was for nine years pastor of the Magnolia-avenue Christian Church of this city, and was known as one of the most active ministers in the city, particularly in connection with young people's work. Under his charge Magnolia church had phenomenal growth and it is anticipated that the same result will be accomplished in the rapidly-growing western section of the city.

CHURCH AND PASTOR.

TWO ANNIVERSARIES IN ONE.

The tenth anniversary of the organization of St. Mark's Lutheran Church and the sixth anniversary of the present pastor, Rev. Jesse W. Ball, will be celebrated with appropriate services. In the morning, Rev. J. A. Miller of St. Paul's Lutheran Church, recently from Hamilton, Can., will preach the sermon and the pastor will give a brief historical review of the history of the church. The church will be handsomely decorated and a special choir will render the music. All past and present members are urged to be present and participate in the celebration. In the evening the pastor will preach on "The Kingdom Within."

RELIGIOUS BREVITIES.

NEWS OF MANY CHURCHES.

Five returned missionaries will be in attendance at a missionary conference of Spanish-speaking countries, to be held today in the Melrose Methodist Church, opening this morning at 10:30 and continuing through the day and evening. The returned missionaries are Miss Mae Burk, Rev. Joseph Stewart, Miss Niel, Miss Esther Smith and Rev. V. M. McCombs.

In Temple Auditorium, Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher will preach tomorrow morning on "Elisha—the Quiet, Efficient Man," and at night on "Matrimonial Mistakes as Revealed in the Divorce Court." The choir will give a special musical service in the evening and there will be other attractive music features at both services.

At the First Methodist Church, Sunday night, Dr. Charles Edward Locke will preach his second sermon on the prospects of union between the Protestant and Catholic churches. He will declare it not only probable but practicable, on account of the increase in anti-Christian influences, and invites Catholics to hear him. "Candles and Candlesticks" will be his morning topic.

The relationship of the Bible to the great war will be the theme of a sermon in St. Paul's Pro-Cathedral on Sunday morning by Dean MacCormack. At night he will speak on the criticisms made by the "Ad Club" of San Francisco on the preachers of that city. He will make some plain and pertinent comments.

At the First Congregational Church Dr. William Horace Day will conduct a twilight communion service at 4:30 tomorrow, which takes the place of the usual evening service. In the morning Dr. Blaisdell, president of Pomona College, will be the speaker, of which full information is given elsewhere in The Times today.

The essence of brevity is to be found in the topic announced for tomorrow night by Rev. W. L. Y. Davis of West Adams Methodist Church —"If." The sermon will be preceded by an interpretation of Longfellow's Christmas poem, "King Robert of Sicily," by Frank A. Caffray. The pastor will preach a Christmas sermon in the morning.

Dr. James W. Kramer will take for his topics in Central Baptist Church tomorrow, "The Bible in the Home," and "The Church and Unjust Criticism." Dr. Kramer will also celebrate his second anniversary as pastor and his twenty-fourth in the ministry. Fred McPherson will sing "The Holy City."

Rev. Russell F. Thrapp will celebrate his third anniversary tomorrow as pastor of the First Christian Church, during which time he has received more than 800 new members. His morning subject will be "Borrowing Trouble, or the Sin of Worry;" evening, "The Second Coming of Christ; What Does the Bible Say About It?" The Christian Ministers' Association of Southern California will meet in this church on Monday morning at 10:30.

"Tales of Adventure; Studies in The Acts," will be the sermon topic tomorrow evening of Rev. J. M. Barnhart of Union-avenue Methodist Church. The California Jubilee Quartette will give a sacred concert. In the morning the pastor will preach on "The Holy Spirit's Mission."

Dr. Herbert J. Weaver of the First English Lutheran Church will preach on Sunday evening on "A Picture from a Battlefield." In the morning his topic will be "God, Our Father, Shepherd and King."

"Why is the Church Impotent?" will be the theme of Rev. W. Leon Tucker of Calvary Baptist Church Sunday morning. "The Meaning of Daniel's Seventy Weeks" will be the evening topic.

The young people of Westlake Methodist Church will bring all the old people of the congregation to the church in automobiles Sunday morning, the service being for their special benefit. Frank E. Geiger will sing for the first time Sibley G. Pease's new song, "The Mother."

Dr. S. T. Westhafer, formerly pastor of Asbury Methodist Church, Pittsburgh, will speak at the Y.M.C.A. men's meeting tomorrow afternoon. His topic will be "Guarding Thy Heart." Delmore Cheney will sing.

There will be an all-day rally at Union Rescue Mission tomorrow. B. F. Pearson will be in charge of the evening service and W. E. McVay will be the speaker. Annie Maclarren will sing.

Mrs. Minnie Staples and her husband, accompanied by two of their converts to Christianity, Hiroshia Kitaguwa and Joe Hasagauwa, will sail for Japan on December 19 to be missionaries of the First Church of the Nazarene. They will speak at a service in that church at 2:30 tomorrow afternoon. Mrs. Staples has mastered the Japanese language in two years' study. Rev. C. E. Cornell will preach morning and evening.

Mrs. Ada Dee of India will speak at a thank-offering service in the Boyle Heights Methodist Church Sunday morning. In the evening Dr. W. E. Tilroe will preach on "A Real Christian."

Dr. C. C. Tracy, president of a college in Turkey, will speak tomorrow morning in Park Congregational Church. Rev. Chester Ferris will preach in the evening on "The Kindly Ministry of Pain."

"The Fool's Soliloquy" will be the sermon topic of Dr. J. A. Eby in the First United Brethren Church Sunday morning; evening, "Past Feeling."

At Haven Methodist Church Rev. Frank C. Edwards will preach tomorrow morning on "The Church Democratic." His evening topic will be "Money—Its Fortune and Misfortune."

Magnolia-avenue Christian Church will celebrate Women's Missionary Day tomorrow morning. Rev. R. W. Abberley will preach on "Help Those Women." In the evening there will be a stereopticon lecture on the life of Christ.

The subjects of Rev. George Davidson of St. John's Episcopal Church tomorrow will be "The Bread of Life" and "The Girl's Friendly."

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to the marvelous motion pictures of the War in Belgium. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand ave. near Ninth.

LONG AN INVALID, SCHOLAR PASSES.

RABBI, VICTIM OF A CHRONIC TROUBLE, ONCE HEAD OF FLOCK HERE.

Rabbi Abraham Myers, a scholar of parts, who served the Beth Israel congregation in this city before ill health forced his retirement, eight years ago, passed away yesterday at the Kaspare Cohn Hospital. He had been a patient there continuously for two years.

Rabbi Myers was known as one of the most accomplished Hebrew and Talmaic scholars in this part of the world. His work in Los Angeles was the last of a wide career in this country.

He was 67 years old and unmarried, an uncle of Rabbi Isidore Myers of this city.

The funeral will be held at 11 o'clock tomorrow morning at the Draper parlors.

TO LEASE NEW QUARTERS.

Official of Bank of Italy Will Arrive Here Today to Consummate Deal for Change of Location.

A deal for new quarters of the Bank of Italy may be closed today. J. H. Skinner, manager of the northern office of the big financial institution, will arrive in this city for the purpose of deciding definitely upon a proposition which the bank has been considering for the lease of quarters in the building now near completion on the northeast corner of Seventh and Broadway.

Ever since the absorption of the Park Bank, nearly two years ago, the Bank of Italy has occupied the quarters on the corner of Hill and Sixth streets which formerly belonged to the institution which was taken over. For some time, however, the local management has been on the lookout for another location.

If the lease is closed the bank will move into the new quarters as soon as the building is completed, in which case the premises now used would be subleased.

THIEF RETURNS ILL-GOTTEN GAIN.

STEALS ONE DAY AND REPLACES LOOT THE NEXT IN ONTARIO HOME.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

ONTAARIO, Dec. 4.—The case of a burglar who entered an Ontario home one evening when the family was absent and made his getaway with two platinum and gold la vallieres and a gold signet ring valued at more than $100, and then on the following afternoon, when the lady of the house was again absent, broke in once more and left the jewelry which he had originally stolen, is that which is today puzzling the Ontario police.

The officers vouch for the auth[enti]city of the story, but declare [th]ey are pledged to refrain [from] mentioning names. Wednesday [even]ing when the family of the house [in] question returned from an entertain[]ment the wife discovered to her [dis]may that a burglar had entered, [ran]sacked her bureau and taken jewelry. The police were notified.

Yesterday the lady, after having made sure that the house was [se]curely locked, went out to spend the afternoon. On her return she [was] amazed to find that the house [had] been entered again, but that instead of taking anything the thief had [re]turned the articles of jewelry stolen the previous night.

The theory is that the thief knew that the police had been notified and having become frightened or conscience stricken had decided that to return his loot was the safest way out.

CROSSED THE PLAINS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

WHITTIER, Dec. 4.—With the death of Mrs. Eliza Cate of Ranchito on Thanksgiving Day there passed another of those pioneers of the early days who crossed the plains by team from the East. With her husband, James W. Cate, and five children the long journey was made from Illinois to Los Angeles, where they arrived in 1864. The journey took six months. In 1867 James Cate bought a tract of land of Don Pio Pico, where, with the exception of four years, both resided till their deaths, Mr. Cate's occurring fifteen years ago. Mrs. Cate leaves three sons, D. W. Cate of Ranchito, with whom she has made her home since the death of her husband; D. M. Cate of Long Beach and J. Wilbur Cate of Los Angeles. Mrs. Cate was born in Indiana in 1828.

YESTERDAY'S RAIN.

City—	Storm.	Season.
Los Angeles	.04	1.[illegible]
Ventura	.12	1.[illegible]
South Pasadena	.15	[illegible]
Oxnard	.13	[illegible]
San Bernardino	.03	[illegible]
Santa Ana	.13	[illegible]

TEMPTS WICKERSHAM.

Is Offered District Attorneyship of New York But Contract May Prevent His Acceptance.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—The desire of Governor-elect Charles S. Whitman to have George W. Wickersham, former United States Attorney-General, assume the District Attorneyship of New York county when Mr. Whitman vacates it next month to become Governor, seems unlikely of fulfillment, it developed today.

While it is understood that Mr. Wickersham's sense of public duty and his desire to aid his friend, the Governor-elect, would incline him to accept the offer of the District Attorneyship, he is bound, it appears, by a contract which has several years to run, to engage in the practice of law in partnership with Henry W. Taft, brother of the former President.

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CHRIST RISEN FROM THE DEAD.

LESSON: Mark xvi, 1-8; Matthew xxviii, 11-15.
GOLDEN TEXT: Luke xxiv, 5-6.

"And as they were affrighted, and bowed down their faces to the earth, they said unto them, Why seek ye the living among the dead? He is not here, but is risen; remember how He spake unto you when He was yet in Galilee."

(1) And when the Sabbath was past, Mary Magdalene, and Mary the Mother of James, and Salome, bought spices, that they might come and anoint him.

(2) And very early on the first day of the week, they come to the tomb when the sun was risen.

(3) And they were saying among themselves, Who shall roll us away the stone from the door of the tomb?

(4) And looking up, they see that the stone is rolled back; for it was exceedingly great.

(5) And entering into the tomb, they saw a young man sitting on the right side, arrayed in a white robe; and they were amazed.

(6) And he saith unto them, Be not amazed; ye seek Jesus, the Nazarene, which hath been crucified; he is risen; he is not here; behold, the place where they laid him!

(7) But go, tell his disciples and Peter, He goeth before you into Galilee; there shall ye see him, as he said unto you.

(8) And they went out, and fled from the tomb; for trembling and astonishment had come upon them; and they said nothing to any one; for they were afraid.

(11) Now while they were going, behold, some of the guard came into the city and told unto the chief priests all the things that were come to pass.

(12) And when they were assembled with the elders, and had taken counsel, they gave large money unto the soldiers.

(13) Saying, Say ye, His disciples came by night, and stole him away while we slept.

(14) And if this come to the governor's ears, we will persuade him, and rid you of care.

(15) So they took the money, and did as they were taught; and this saying was spread abroad among the Jews, and continueth until this day.

THE NARRATIVE.

After the death of the Lord, which took place at about 3 o'clock in the afternoon, there was a brief interval, a solemn and awful pause. Luke in his narrative tells us that the multitudes returned, smiting on their breasts. The manner of His dying has evidently made a profound and solemnizing impression upon those who witnessed the scene.

Then at evening Joseph or Arimathea, a man who had been a secret disciple of the Lord, obtained the body of Jesus, and gave it burial in a new tomb within his garden. At last all seem to have retired from the neighborhood of the grave except the guard of soldiers, and some women who watched. Our lesson has to do with the resurrection, and in it there are two paragraphs, that from Mark giving the account of the discovery thereof by the women, and that from Matthew telling how His enemies dealt with the fact.

The coming and the purpose of the women in the early hour of the morning of the first day of the week, are suggestive. Their visit was in fulfillment of a ministry of love. They looked upon Him as dead; and consequently upon all their own hopes as extinguished; but their love for Him had not ceased. Therefore they came, bringing spices that they might anoint Him. While this was indeed a ministry of love, it was also a revelation of the darkness of their mind, and of how they, in common with all His disciples, had failed to apprehend His oft-repeated declaration that He would rise again.

As they drew near to the tomb they became conscious of a difficulty in the way of the fulfillment of their purpose, and they were discussing together as to who would roll the stone away from the tomb. When they arrived at the tomb they saw the difficulty did not exist, for the stone was already rolled back. Yet while the difficulty was removed, a greater was created in the fact that He was not there. It is well that we remember when we read this story, that the stone had not been rolled back in order that our Lord might rise and depart from the grave, but rather in order that those who came should know that He was risen.

The angelic announcement of the resurrection was singularly simple and yet sublime. First speaking to them in their evident amazement, he charged them not to be amazed, and then declared that the Lord had risen, and invited them to behold the place where He had been laid. It is in this story by Mark that we have the exquisite words, "Go tell His disciples, and Peter, He goeth before you into Galilee." That little p[hrase] "and Peter," thrills with the tende[r]ness of the heart of the Master. [It] is possible to imagine the bitter[ness] of the experience through wh[ich] Peter had passed from that mom[ent] when on oath, and with cursing, [he] had denied all knowledge of his Lord. It is conceivable that as this became known to the other disciples, they would be tempted to look upon him as having put himself by that denial outside the company of the faithful. It was not so, and therefore the women were charged to include him in the message of resurrection.

In the other paragraph taken from the Gospel according to Matthew we have the story of the ultimate [ex]pression of the antagonism of the priests and rulers of Jesus. The g[uard] had seen the vision of the angel, [and] in the presence of it they had be[come] as dead men. When, after a wh[ile] they recovered, they hastened [to] the city, and told what they had se[en] that is they reported to these pri[ests] and rulers the fact of the coming [of] an angel, and the rolling back of the stone. It is perfectly certain th[at] such a story must have impr[essed] these men, being brought to them [as] it was by these Roman soldiers, [for] they had obtained a guard from Pi[]late. Bribed, these men, follow[ing] the instruction of the priests, spread the report that the body of Jesus had been stolen by His disciples. That line of falsehood is not followed to[]day. Later events in the lives of these disciples have proved how ut[]terly absurd it was. As Edersh[eim] reminds us, "Even Strauss remar[ks] that such falsehood is wholly inco[m]patible with their after-life, heroi[sm] and martyrdom."

THE TEACHING.

Of course the teaching of the les[]son is that of the centrality of the fact of resurrection to Christianity. By it the person of Christ was clearly revealed. As Paul affirms, He w[as] declared the Son of God with power by the resurrection from the dead.

This resurrection, moreover, w[as] the vindication both of His ideal [as] to the supremacy of the spiritual, [and] of His explicit declaration, so repea[t]edly made, that He would rise again. Perhaps its supreme value to us [is] that of the light it flings upon the Cross. Apart from the resurrection the Cross in human history would have been no more than the tragic and awe-inspiring end of a life th[at] failed. In the light of the resurre[c]tion we are compelled at least to re[c]ognize that the fact of the Cross needs further and careful considera[]tion. The teaching of Scripture is that the resurrection was demonstra[]tion of the fact that in the Cross He completed a work which made possi[]ble the salvation of men.

If we are asked for the proofs that He actually rose, we declare first that they are to be found in these writ[]ings, for no history that has ever been written is better authenticated than this. The ultimate proof, how[]ever, is that of the Church of God resulting as it undoubtedly did from a profound conviction that the One whose crucifixion ended all hope in the hearts of those who had followed Him, had risen from the dead. Per[]haps it should be added that the most irrefragable proof is that of the im[]mediate experience of individuals of the saving power of Christ, and the[ir] actual fellowship with Him, which is infinitely more than a sentimental or emotional attachment to the mem[]ory of a dead teacher.

THE GOLDEN TEXT.

In the golden text, the central wo[rd] is that of the correcting message of the angel, reminding the disciples, [as] it did, that the Lord had predicted His resurrection. We are in per[]petual peril of forgetting that He is risen, not intellectually, but experi[]mentally. We too often think of Him as He was, rather than know Him as He is.

GO TO CHURCH TOMORROW

"I go to church because of the message of hope, of cheer and lofty assurance it brings. Because it answers a real need in life. The uplift from holy song, prayer and a spiritual message fills the soul and creates noble purposes and aspirations."

WILLIAM B. ROBB, Secretary Independent Oil Producers Agency.

BAPTIST.

DR. BROUGHER Will tell of his visit to the Divorce Court.

TEMPLE BAPTIST CHURCH

Auditorium, Fifth and Olive.

DR. J. WHITCOMB BROUGHER, Pastor, speaks twice.

11:00 A.M.—"ELISHA—THE QUIET, EFFICIENT MAN."

Second in series of character sketches entitled, "Messages From Men Who Have Made Good to Men Who Want to Make Good."

MISS ALICE LOHR, Soloist.
LORD'S SUPPER OBSERVED.

7:30 P.M. — "MATRIMONIAL MISTAKES AS REVEALED IN THE DIVORCE COURT."

Regular monthly musical service. Special duet and quartette. Anthem by big choir. Gospel solo by Mr. George H. Bemus.

ELEVATOR SERVICE TO THE GALLERIES. 2500 FREE SEATS.

First Baptist Church South Flower Street, Between 7th and 8th.

JAMES A. FRANCIS, D.D., Pastor.

11 A.M.—"WHAT THE CHURCH IS FOR."
7:30 P.M.—"WHAT IS THE GOSPEL."

ALL SEATS FREE. SPECIAL MUSIC. EVERYBODY CORDIALLY INVITED.

Calvary Baptist Church CORNER ST. LOUIS AND SECOND STREETS. PASTOR, W. LEON TUCKER.

MORNING: "WHY IS THE CHURCH IMPORTANT?"
EVENING: "THE 70 WEEKS OF DANIEL—WHAT TIME DO THEY STAND FOR?"

Central Baptist Corner Alvarado and Pico. James M. Kramer, D.D., Pastor.

11 a.m.—"THE BIBLE IN THE HOME." 7:30 p.m., "THE CHURCH AND UNJUST CRITICISM." Fred McPherson sings in the evening "The Holy City." Special anthems by Large Chorus Choir.

NEW THOUGHT.

EMERSON NEW THOUGHT CLUB.

Katherine Kent Althouse, Leader.

Meets Sunday Morning at 11 o'clock, 737 South Burlington.

December 6th, 1914. Subject—"THE FORMULA OF FIVE—SEVEN—NINE."

YOU ARE CORDIALLY INVITED.

HOME OF TRUTH.

Sunday service at 11 a.m. in Blanchard Symphony Hall, 232 South Hill St. Melva J. Merrill speaks on "LOVE NEVER FAILETH." Evening service at the Home of Truth Chapel, 802 South Union Ave., at 8 o'clock. Bible Stories by Betty Simonds. All welcome.

CHRISTIAN.

FIRST CHRISTIAN CORNER ELEVENTH AND HOPE STS. DOWNTOWN LOCATION.

REV. RUSSELL F. THRAPP, MINISTER, WILL PREACH

11 A. M.—"BORROWING TROUBLE, OR THE SIN OF WORRY."
7:30 P.M.—"THE SECOND COMING OF CHRIST."

Third in series on "Things of the Future."
What does the Bible say about this important subject?
Solos by Mr. R. H. Crittenden and Mrs. E. C. Crossman.

WILSHIRE BLVD. CHRISTIAN CHURCH.

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SERVICES 11 A.M. AND 7:45 P.M.

Morning Subject: "THE SPIRIT THAT INSPIRES THE GREATEST POWER AND FRUITFULNESS IN THE CHURCH."

Evening Subject: "FOUR WORDS OF THE GOSPEL."

CORDIAL INVITATION TO ALL.

EPISCOPAL.

ST. JOHN'S EPISCOPAL CHURCH

Corner Figueroa and Adams Streets. Take Grand Ave. car. Get off at Adams and walk one block west, or take University car and get off at Chester Place. Walk through Chester to Adams and one block on Adams to Figueroa.

REV. GEORGE DAVIDSON, M.A., Rector.

Services: Holy Communion at 7:30 a.m. Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m. Morning Service and Sermon by the Rector at 11 a.m. Evening Prayer and Sermon by the Rector at 7:30 p.m. Morning subject: "THE BREAD OF LIFE." Evening: "THE GIRL'S FRIENDLY." You will be cordially welcome.

DEAN MacCORMACK

WILL PREACH AT ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL

MORNING TOPIC:

THE GREAT WAR AND THE TEACHINGS OF HOLY SCRIPTURES.

Evening Topic: "THE CRITICISMS OF THE AD CLUB ON THE PREACHERS OF SAN FRANCISCO. ARE THE MINISTERS LAZY? HAVE THEY A SELLING LINE OF TALK? WOULD IT BE BETTER TO CLOSE UP SOME OF THE CHURCHES?"

CONGREGATIONAL

FIRST CONGREGATIONAL

CHURCH—HOPE STREET, NEAR NINTH.

11 A.M.

PRESIDENT JAMES A. BLAISDELL, D.D.
SUBJECT: "A PROJECT IN STATESMANSHIP."

4:30 P.M.
TWILIGHT COMMUNION SERVICE AND RECEPTION OF MEMBERS.

MISCELLANEOUS.

THE LOS ANGELES FELLOWSHIP

BLANCHARD HALL, 233 S. BROADWAY.

11 A.M., BENJAMIN FAY MILLS The Celebrated Thinker and Orator on "REALITY AND ILLUSION"

8 p.m.—RICHARD INGALESE on "THE CLAIMS OF THE NEW THOUGHT ON THE MODERN WORLD." All seats free to both services. SYMPOSIUM in Blanchard Hall, at 8 p.m., Monday, on "THE CURE FOR WAR," from the Anarchist, Oriental, Christian, Socialist and Single Tax Viewpoint. Friday, 8 p.m., MR. MILLS will lecture on "NIGHTMARES" in the course on "Metaphysical Psychology."

M. E. CHURCH—SOUTH

"THE POOR— HAVE THE CHURCHES OF LOS ANGELES GOOD NEWS FOR THEM?"

Morning Subject of
Rev. Charles C. Selecman

Evening—"THE WAY HOME"—Another Revival Sermon Worth While.

STAY TO THE AFTER-MEETING.
MR. BLAKELEY AT THE GREAT ORGAN.
LARGE VESTED CHOIR. SOLO SPECIALS.

TRINITY AUDITORIUM

GRAND AT NINTH.

METHODIST.

FIRST METHODIST Episcopal Church, CORNER SIXTH AND HILL STS.

DR. CHARLES EDWARD LOCKE, Pastor, will preach.

11 a.m.—"Candles and Candlesticks."

7:30 p.m.—"What Are the Prospects for the Union of the Protestant and Roman Catholic Churches? Is Cardinal Gibbons Correct in Saying That Protestantism Is Declining?" (Part II.)

ALL SEATS FREE. EVERYBODY INVITED.

WESTLAKE M. E. CHURCH CORNER EIGHTH AND BURLINGTON D. F. HOWE, PASTOR.

PUBLIC WORSHIP AND SERMON, 11 A.M. AND 7:30 P.M.
Morning Subject: "RELATIVE VALUES IN BENEVOLENT SERVICE."
Evening Subject: "ALL THE WORLD'S TOURISTS MUST SEE DEATH VALLEY."

IF 7:30, WEST ADAMS METHODIST EPISCOPAL CHURCH. FRANK A. CAFFRAY, CHAUTAUQUA IMPERSONATOR, WILL DELIVER LONGFELLOW'S CHRISTMAS POEM, "KING ROBERT OF SICILY," INTRODUCTORY TO THE EVENING SERMON OF THE PASTOR, W. L. Y. DAVIS, ON "IF." CHRISTMAS SERMON AT 11 A.M.

HAVEN METHODIST EPISCOPAL, 1001 E. 27TH ST. FRANK C. EDWARDS, PASTOR. 11 A.M.—"THE CHURCH DEMOCRATIC." 7:30 P.M.—"MONEY—ITS FORTUNE AND ITS MISFORTUNE."

PRESBYTERIAN

11 o'Clock—"LEFT AND RIGHT-HEARTED MEN"—Ecclesiastes 10:2
7:30 o'Clock—"TIGHTENING THE BUCKLES"—I Kings 20:11.

IMMANUEL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH Figueroa at Tenth

FREE SITTINGS AND A ROYAL WELCOME

REV. JOHN BALCOM SHAW WILL PREACH.

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH

CORNER TWENTIETH AND FIGUEROA.

REV. EDWARD CAMPBELL, D.D., Pastor.

Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m. Preaching, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Wednesday, 7:45 p.m. Sunday, 11 a.m., topic, "GOD'S GREAT STOREHOUSE." 7:30 p.m., subject, "THE PEACE OF CHRIST." Dr. Campbell will preach both sermons. Take Washington and University cars.

REV. ROBERT FRANCIS COYLE, D.D.
MINISTER OF
WESTLAKE PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH
WILL PREACH

11 a.m.—Subject, "HE WENT A LITTLE FARTHER."
7:30 p.m.—"TEARS THAT DO NOT COUNT."
10 a.m.—Men's Bible Class under personal direction of Dr. Coyle. Subject: "THE BIBLE AND SCIENCE." Grandview St. near West Ninth St. Take West Ninth cars.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

Christian Science Churches

FIRST CHURCH, 1366 South Alvarado Street, near Pico.
SECOND CHURCH, West Adams, near Hoover.
THIRD CHURCH, 734 South Hope Street.
NINTH CHURCH, 430 South New Hampshire Ave. (No Sunday evening service.)

Services: Sundays, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday meeting, 8 p.m.

Sermon from Christian Science Quarterly. Subject:
"GOD THE ONLY CAUSE AND CREATOR."

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE READING ROOMS.

704 Herman W. Hellman Building. 650 South Alvarado Street.
2222 South Union Avenue. 6682 Hollywood Boulevard.

THEOSOPHY.

United Lodge of Theosophists

FIFTH FLOOR METROPOLITAN BLDG.,
Broadway at Fifth.
(Public Library Building)

Sunday, 8 p.m.—"The Coming Race."

Theosophists and others who are seeking a Philosophy of Life that really explains are invited to attend. No fees, charges or collections. Questions invited and answered. Free Reading and Magazine Room open daily, 9 to 5; Saturdays, 9 to 12—not open Sundays.

Friday, 8 p.m.—"What the Few know."

UNITARIAN.

FIRST UNITARIAN CHURCH 925 S. FLOWER ST. E. STANTON HODGIN, MINISTER.

Sunday Service at 11 a.m. Subject, "SAVING POWER OF SYMPATHY." Special music. Sunday-school at 10 o'clock. J. W. Burks, Director of Efficiency Commission, will speak to Social Service Class at 10 on "SHOULD WE HAVE A CITY MANAGER?"

Classified Liners.

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Times Classified rates: The rate for inserting "Liner" ads in the Daily Times is 1c per word each insertion; in the Sunday issue, 1½c per word each insertion; minimum charge, 25c; except under the following classifications, the rate for which is 2c per word daily, 2½c per word Sunday, minimum charge 50c daily, 50c Sunday: "Society Meetings," "Personals," "Special Notices," "Church Notices," "Business Chances," "Stocks and Bonds," "Money to Loan on Salary and Chattels," "Physicians," "Medical," "Detectives," "Sanatoriums" and "Baths and Massage."

The Times reserves the right to classify all advertisements under appropriate headings.

Minimum space for classified advertisements ordered for more than one insertion, 14 words.

Sunday real estate advertisements, to be classified properly, must be in The Times office before 8 p.m. Saturday night. Other classified "Wants," "To Lets," etc., received over counter or by telephone until 11 p.m., Saturday. Ads received after these hours for each division will be inserted under heading "Too Late to Classify." Rate 1½ cents per word.

The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 80,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

Telephone your want advertisements. Ring up "The Times," Main 8200, Home 10391, any time of day or night, and secure prompt and careful attention.

The Times cannot guarantee accuracy or assume responsibility for errors of any kind occurring in telephone advertisements.

The Times will not be responsible for more than one incorrect insertion of any advertisement ordered for more than one time.

Advertisers should retain receipts given by The Times in payment for "liners," as no mistake can be rectified without them.

The Times will not accept phone or verbal orders to discontinue or change "till forbid" advertisements.

The Times constantly endeavors to render its patrons satisfactory and efficient service, and it will appreciate complaints of, and make a proper adjustment for any material errors it may make in printed announcements.

"Be quick to kick if things seem wrong, But kick to us, and make it strong."

INSTANT SERVICE FOR TIMES PATRONS.

For the convenience of persons who may desire to reply to classified advertisements printed in The Times, and communications to this newspaper, and "liner" and other advertisements inserted, Times letter boxes have been placed in various downtown buildings for the purpose indicated. Collections will be made from these boxes every hour.

Each piece of advertising copy must contain the name and address of the advertiser, number of insertions, and heading under which it is desired the announcement be printed.

The boxes are located as follows:

- BRYSON BLDG., 145 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
- BROADWAY CENTRAL BLDG., 424 S. Broadway (Lobby near elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 429 S. Broadway. (Near elevator in lobby.)
- [illegible] TRUST BLDG., 313 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 426 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 740 S. BROADWAY. (Near elevator in lobby.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 224 S. SPRING ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., SIXTH AND SPRING STS. (Near elevator in lobby.)
- [illegible] BLDG., SECOND AND MAIN STS. (In lobby near elevator.)
- I. W. HELLMAN BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING (Near elevator, Fourth-street lobby.)
- I. N. HELLMAN BLDG., 411 S. MAIN ST. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
- [illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND SPRING STS. (Lobby near elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 738 S. BROADWAY. (Lobby rear of elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 126 W. THIRD ST. (Lobby opposite elevator.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 315 S. BROADWAY. (Next to U. S. Mail Box.)
- [illegible] BLDG., 9TH, SPRING AND MAIN (On elevator shaft No. 4.)
- [illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY. (In lobby.)
- [illegible] TRUST BLDG., 207 S. BROADWAY. (Beneath U. S. Mail Box.)
- [illegible] BLDG., FOURTH AND BROADWAY (Near elevator in Lobby.)
- [illegible] ELECTRIC BLDG., 608-10 S. MAIN ST. (Lobby near elevator.)
- SAN FERNANDO BLDG., 406 S. Main st. (Lobby opposite elevator.)

The location of additional boxes will be published as they are installed.

EXCHANGING CONTEMPORARIES PLEASE COPY.

SPECIAL NOTICES—

[illegible]—WE HAVE ON HAND A FEW OF [illegible] handy telephone attachments, which are [illegible] in connection with coupon books, [illegible] at 75 cents each, the coupons being redeemable in classified advertising in THE TIMES. [illegible] 8200 or Home 10391, and our representative will call and attach the "REDIPHONE," [illegible] at the same time for the coupons desired. The "REDIPHONE" only will be delivered to the purchaser.

[illegible] HAIR, MOLES, WARTS, PERMANENTLY removed. Dr. Burch's painless, rapid, 10-[illegible]. WILBUR PRATHER BEAUTY PARLOR, [illegible] Broadway. Consultation invited before [illegible] work done. Satisfaction guaranteed. [illegible] office 133 Geary st., Suite 722-23, [illegible] Marshall Field Annex, 1009. MME [illegible] ELECTROLYSIS CO.

[illegible] — CHEAP, 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING [illegible] cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic [illegible]. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

[illegible] ADVICE [illegible] LEVANZIN, of the College of Physicians [illegible] (Boston), in one long letter, to all [illegible] full details of trouble, enclosing an [illegible] envelope and 25c in stamps to cover [illegible]. 201 S. GRAND AVE., Los Angeles.

[illegible] ROOFING AND WATERPROOFED paper [illegible] per roll up; free city delivery; any [illegible]. WEAVER ROOF CO., Mfrs., 339 E. Second. Broadway 784, Home F2855.

CLASSIFIED ADVERTISEMENTS— For the real estate section of Sunday's Times will be printed under the heading of "Too Late to Classify" if not received before 8 p.m. Saturday.

[illegible] DEC. 3, I WILL NOT BE HELD RESPONSIBLE for any debts or bills rendered by Mrs. E. T. [illegible]. MR. E. T. CARTER, 940 N. Benton Way.

[illegible] CLEANED IN ONE OR TWO LOADS by the LOS ANGELES SANITARY CO. Phones: [illegible] or Wilshire 593.

[illegible] MAN WOULD LIKE ANY KIND OF WORK. Phone WILSHIRE 3874.

[illegible] PLATES, $4; NATIONAL PAINLESS DENTISTS, southeast corner Third and Main.

[illegible] QUICK ACTION, DROP ANSWERS TO Times "Liners" in Times' letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

BUSINESS ANNOUNCEMENTS—

[illegible] ME ABOUT SELLING BY MAIL—MAIL-order departments organized and developed for any [illegible]. Address D, box 193, TIMES OFFICE, or South 4154.

FLORISTS AND NURSERIES—

[illegible] SHEEP FERTILIZER FOR LAWNS [illegible]. GEORGE SCHORNICK, 118 N. [illegible] 41596; Boyle 1665.

PERSONAL— Business.

MRS. MASSON, [illegible] palmist of London, Eng., may be consulted at 822 S. SPRING ST., by those desiring conscientious and reliable hand readings [illegible] of the foremost palmists of the day. HIGH-CLASS PATRONAGE SOLICITED.

[illegible]—PROF. ALTHOUSE, NOTED ASTROLOGER and palmist; thirty years in Los Angeles [illegible] practice; highest grade of work. High-class [illegible] solicited. 621 S. BROADWAY.

[illegible]—CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING PATRONS [illegible] The Times are requested to submit copy for [illegible] in the Sunday issue as early as possible.

[illegible]—WANTED—SOME ONE GOING TO CHICAGO to take two little orphan girls for part [illegible]. Address W, box 407, TIMES BRANCH.

[illegible]—MME JOSEPH OF CHICAGO, PALMIST, psychic, readings, 50c. 822 E. 15TH [illegible] Griffith ave. car.

[illegible]—CORSETS MADE, ALTERED AND [illegible] reasonable. Stout women call and have [illegible] fitting corset made. MME. COVERT, [illegible] 7th st.

[illegible]—DENTISTRY PLATES, $4. NATIONAL [illegible] DENTISTS, southeast corner Third and Main.

[illegible]—MME. ORA, PALMIST, PSYCHIC. [illegible] readings in city. 245½ S. SPRING.

[illegible] quick action, drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

PERSONAL— Business.

PERSONAL — FOR SALE CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL moving picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and make good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

WANTED— Help, Male.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

Space is not given under this heading to advertisements soliciting business patronage.

WANTED — RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS FOR CALIFORNIA, salary $900 yearly, with extra expense money; promotion to $1800. For successful coaching see at once. MISS WILSON, 604 Citizens Natl. Bank Bldg., Third and Main. Open evenings, 7 to 9.

WANTED—FIVE MEN UNDER 35, GOOD PHYSICAL condition, to prepare for RAILWAY MAIL CLERKS this State. Good starting salary, promotion and permanent position. See at once, MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg. (See Instruction adv.) Special evening hours, 7 to 8:30.

WANTED—ACTIVE SALESMEN ON A VERY CHOICE acreage subdivision, where your earnings are limited only by your own activity. If you will work as hard for yourself as you would for another for wages, you can make big money with us.
MORRISON & RIEMANN, Sales Managers,
718 Trust & Savings Bldg.,
Sixth and Spring sts.

WANTED — IMMEDIATELY, SEVERAL CAPABLE men to prepare for CUSTOMHOUSE and INTERNAL REVENUE POSITIONS. Examination soon. For successful coaching see at once. MISS WILSON, 604 Citizens Natl. Bank Bldg., Third and Main.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE OF automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, on contract work. Actual contract jobs, not school toys. Only few months required. THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL, 234 Aliso st. See ad., "Learn Trades column."

WANTED—SHIPPING CLERK, WANT MAN 28-35 years with local experience in large wholesale firm, $65-$85 start, depending upon ability, good credentials, absolutely essential. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 620 Brockman Bldg., 7th and Grand.

WANTED—LIVE MAN TO SHOW PROPERTY. PREvious experience unnecessary; can make $100 to $300 per month; good chance for a sober, steady man to become permanently identified with a large company. Call at once, 200-207 H. W. HELLMAN BLDG., corner Spring and Fourth.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN A GOOD-paying trade, automobile driving, repairing, electricity, machinist, surveying. See our adv. under "Learn Trade." NATIONAL SCHOOL, 2110 W. Seventh.

WANTED — BOOK-KEEPER EXPERIENCED IN automobile business, $75 start; young stenographer and typist, $50; married book-keeper under 35, wholesale experience, $75. CALIFORNIA COMMERCIAL SERVICE, 620 Brockman Bldg. F2015.

WANTED — TWO A1 VACUUM CLEANER SALESmen; want men used to big profits; best machine on the market. C. F. ADAMS CO., 806 E. Seventh street.

WANTED—GROCERY AND DELICATESSEN SALESman under 25 for out of town; references; salary $60. PACIFIC AUDIT & SYSTEM CO. (Agency,) 608 Fay Bldg., 3rd and Hill.

WANTED—A BOY, ABOUT 17 YEARS OF AGE, LIVing at home, who understands a motorcycle thoroughly; none other need apply. Call between 8 and 12 a.m. Saturday, 2122 W. JEFFERSON.

WANTED—BY HOTEL, LICENSED ENGINEER TO take care of boiler, plumbing, electricity, etc. Single man only. State salary and references. Address G, box 143, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MENTAL CASE NURSE, weight 150 pounds or over, city, $30, found; all kinds hotel, restaurant help wanted. SMITH'S EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 238 W. First.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN IN LUMBER YARD, ONE who writes shorthand and can figure lumber; wages $2 per day to start. Address G, box 15, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TEACHER OF COMMERCIAL BRANCHES in business college; state experience and qualifications, salary $80 per month. Address W, box 498, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—LONGHAND BILL CLERK, QUICK AT figures. Prefer meat packing experience. Salary $12. PACIFIC AUDIT AND SYSTEM CO., 608 Fay Bldg., 3rd and Hill sts.

WANTED—FRY COOK, ROAST AND BROILER, cook's helper, pantry man, private stand waiters, bus boys. TOURIST EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 145 S. Spring, Room 212.

WANTED—TAILOR'S COAT MAKER WHO HAS shop, who can turn out good men's coats and ladies' coats, strictly tailored. HELPERS, 89 E. Colorado, Pasadena.

WANTED—TWO WIDE-AWAKE MEN TO FILL vacancy in a crew that are making good money. Call 709 LANKERSHIM BLDG., 9 o'clock.

WANTED — MAN WITH AUTO TO TAKE SOME children to school, every day except Saturday and Sunday, pays $1 trip. Address W, box 539, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN TO SELL FORD CARS IN VENtura County. Call Sunday 9 to 12 a.m. 1513 W. 21ST ST. Washington or West Adams car to Vermont.

WANTED—BE INDEPENDENT! LEARN THE BARber trade; reasonable terms; best place; highest wages while learning. THE NATIONAL BARBER SCHOOL, 129 E. Second st.

WANTED — SUBSCRIPTION AGENT FOR DAILY German newspaper, on commission and salary. Honest person. No bums. 230 FRANKLIN ST.

WANTED—JEWELER. WANTED, THE SERVICES of an experienced and reliable jewelry salesman. Apply 812 UNION OIL BLDG. Ask for MR. DOTY.

WANTED—A PROTESTANT CHRISTIAN WHO CAN edit a small country paper (no printing) and do some good in the world while making a living, should apply to YD, box 248, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 BOYS, 15 OR 16 YEARS TO WORK in jewelry store, must be reliable and have reference. FEDER & CO., 549 S. Broadway.

WANTED—FOR 1 DAY, BUSHELMEN ON MEN'S clothes. Apply 9 a.m. Saturday morning. CHERRY'S, 636 S. Broadway.

WANTED—ALL-AROUND MAN ON SMALL PLACE, cow, garden, house cleaning. 932 MALTMAN AVE. Phone Wilshire 869.

WANTED—FIRST TENOR FOR QUARTETTE. CALL 920 W. 9TH ST.

WANTED—AN UPHOLSTERER. CALL AT 1227 S. SAN PEDRO ST.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Investment Required.)

WANTED—SOBER, INDUSTRIOUS MAN TO WORK in and help manage a fast-growing business, who can furnish $250 with his services; will pay $135 per month; no previous experience necessary; clean, agreeable work. Call 430 S. BROADWAY, room 605.

WANTED—I NEED A GOOD, RELIABLE MAN WHO can invest $350, with services, to work in and manage old-established ground-floor business; no previous experience necessary; will pay $30 per week. Call 641 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—USE YOUR SPARE TIME TO BUILD UP a mail order business of your own. We help you start for a share in profits. 27 opportunities. Particulars free. OPPORTUNITIES EXCHANGE, Buffalo, N. Y.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE ONE HUNDRED DOLlars to invest, small manufacturing. Address C. H. P., Bungalow Apartments, 800 Sunset Blvd.

WANTED— Help, Female.

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WANTED—ONE OR TWO LADY SOLICITORS IN each town to call on women at their residences. Can make $3 to $5 per day. Address BOX 978, Los Angeles, Cal.

WANTED—LADIES LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, hair manufacturing, FLORENTINE HAIRDRESSING COLLEGE, "World's Largest," 227 Mercantile place, corner Broadway. See Learn Trades Adv.

WANTED—LADY TO SOLICIT WITH CREW, PLEASant, profitable work, experience not necessary, steady and permanent income. Apply 796 E. 16TH ST. San Pedro st. car.

WANTED—WOMEN, ALL TOWNS IN CALIFORNIA, to represent Dr. Young's sanitary goods; 100 per cent. profit. Write for particulars. CUNNING, 222 West 9th.

WANTED—THREE LADIES TO LEARN BEAUTY culture and hairdressing, free of charge; good opening; LEADER COLLEGE, 228 Mercantile Place. Mrs. Harris. See adv. To Learn Trades.

WANTED — STUDENTS ENROLLING DAILY FOR Gregg shorthand, book-keeping, telegraphy, English branches. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth. See "Instruction Course" adv.

WANTED—GOVERNESS FOR TWO CHILDREN, wages $40, room and board. All expenses paid. Going to San Diego the 28th. Apply WICKCLIFF APTS., Apt. 107, 4811 Moneta ave.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, APARTMENT, $55 and apartment; girl for pennant stand, $10; housekeeper, $20; salad makers, pastry cook, chambermaid, general housegirl. Female Department, BIG 4 AGENCY, 205 E. Second.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY FOR OFFICE GIRL, STEnographer preferred, $5 per week; also saleslady, one experienced preferred, $10 per week. Call between 5:30 and 6 in the evening at 315 S. HILL ST.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY TO CARE FOR BABY and do housework, salary $20. Call WEBSTER APARTMENTS, 739 Coronado st. Apartment 23.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED SALESGIRLS FOR HIGH-class confectionery stores; tall and good personality; $9 to start, good future. LYONS & BEAVIS, EMPLOYMENT SPECIALISTS, INVESTMENT BLDG.

WANTED—HEALTHY, REFINED YOUNG WOMAN to care for invalid lady, small compensation; must be prepared to leave city. 1352 FIELDING ST.

WANTED—MASSEUSE, CAPABLE AND WILLING to keep treatment rooms in order, wages $10. Address GG, box 416, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—MIDDLE-AGED GERMAN WOMAN FOR general housework, $20 per month. 3031 ROYAL STREET.

WANTED—GOOD RELIABLE WOMAN FOR HOUSEwork, for family of three, $20 a month; reference. Call 4631 KINGSWELL AVE., near Vermont, north of Hollywood blvd.

WANTED—SALESLADIES TO REPRESENT US IN Los Angeles and surrounding towns. 200 HOMER LAUGHLIN BLDG.

WANTED—YOUNG GIRL TO TAKE CARE OF A baby; wages $3 a week. KANIWALD APT., 301, 1214 Lake st.

WANTED—CLOAK AND SUIT SALESLADY. BON TON, 347 S. Broadway.

WANTED— Help, Female.

NOTE.—Applicants for positions are advised not to send original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

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WANTED—

EMPLOYERS—

As a citizen and taxpayer it is your duty to read this "Ad."

The city maintains a Municipal Free Employment Bureau, where the standard of efficiency required of applicants is unusually high. Personal investigation is made and only the capable and efficient sent to prospective employers.

This bureau will fill any position, from scrub woman to office manager, absolutely free of charge either to employer or employee.

MUNICIPAL FREE EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,
Men's Department, 208 Franklin street.
Women's Department, 207 So. Broadway.
Private exchange connecting both departments.
Broadway 6624. Home 10757.

WANTED—
HAWLEY EMPLOYMENT COMPANY,
Elizabeth Keliher, Manager.
254 South Broadway.

Experienced cashier with first-class references, $10 a week; experienced candy clerk, must be experienced in first-class place, $9 a week; waitresses, cafe experience, $8 a week; girl for mixed work, hotel, $30 etc.; chambermaid, first-class hotel, country, $25 etc.; second girl, city, (Protestant,) $35 etc.; cook and second girl, nice place, city, $35 etc. and $25 etc.; housegirls, $25 etc. to $40 etc.

WANTED—$50 TO $100 AND PERMANENT INcome can be made before Christmas by lady who is well acquainted. Best magazine proposition ever presented. Address or call on JOEL SMITH, 314 Lankershim Bldg., Los Angeles. Phone F5919.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER AND TYPIST, EXPERienced in automobile business, $40 to start; excellent opportunity for advancement. See MISS MILLER, California Commercial Service, 626 Brockman Bldg.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER, REMINGTON OPERAtor, willing to assist in office and do some public work, rapid advance to capable party. State experience and salary wanted to start. Address G, box 78, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADIES, WE TEACH YOU THE SWEDish massage. You can get the baths, massage, FREE, while learning. 206½ S. BROADWAY. (See Instruction adv.)

WANTED—COLORED GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. SOUTH 5380.

WANTED—A FIRST-CLASS TAILORESS. APPLY BIEHL & VAN PELT, 729 S. Broadway.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female.

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WANTED—MAN AND WIFE, ORANGE ORCHARD, $50 and house; man and wife, dairy ranch, milk 28 cows, $65 month, house. Call early. SWEDISH & GERMAN BUREAU, 101½ S. Broadway.

WANTED—A MIDDLE-AGED WOMAN OR MAN TO help in kitchen. 1002 W. FIRST ST. Broadway 1167.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (To Learn Trades.)

WANTED — LEARN AUTO REPAIRING, DRIVING and machine work, day and evening courses; oldest reliable school; overhauling of all makes of cars under supervision of expert instructors; electricity and surveying taught by practical methods; places to work for room and board after school hours, assist graduates to positions. Call and be convinced. Catalogue free. NATIONAL SCHOOL OF ENGINEERING, 2110 W. Seventh. Established 1905.

WANTED — LEARN BEAUTY CULTURE, HAIR manufacturing, students wanted. LEADER COLLEGE OF HAIRDRESSING, 228 Mercantile Place. MRS. HARRIS.

WANTED—MEN AND BOYS TO LEARN TRADE of automobiles, plumbing, bricklaying, electricity, without expense, in few months.
THE CONTRACTING TRADE SCHOOL,
234 Aliso st.

WANTED—BEAUTY CULTURE PAYS BIG. LEARN right. "FLORENTINE," World's Largest. 227 Mercantile place.

WANTED— Help, Male and Female. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED—RAGTIME PIANO PLAYING TAUGHT IN 20 lessons. Write for free book. CHRISTENSEN SCHOOL OF POPULAR MUSIC, 23 Walker Bldg. Main 2176. F5793.

WANTED—MOTION PICTURE ACTING TAUGHT BY experienced director; references, successful pupils. PHOTOPLAY STUDIO, 5624 Virginia ave., Hollywood. Home 59162.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHY, BOOK-KEEPING, ENGlish branches, telegraphy, rate $10. Positions guaranteed. MACKAY BUSINESS COLLEGE, Main st., at Ninth.

WANTED—GOVERNMENT JOBS FOR WOMEN, $75 month. Write for list positions. FRANKLIN INSTITUTE, Dept. 737T, Rochester, N. Y.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO PREPARE FOR RAILway mail clerks; salary starting, $75 month. MR. HOFF, 629 Security Bldg.

WANTED—SALESMEN— Agents and Solicitors.

WANTED—

SALESMEN TO SELL CALIFORNIA STREET IMPROVEMENT BONDS.
THE EMPIRE SECURITIES CO.,
1201 HIBERNIAN BLDG.
CALL 2 TO 5 P.M.

WANTED—10 CANVASSERS. I HAVE THE BEST proposition on market to offer to hustlers. Call Room 11, 103 E. SECOND ST. After 10 a.m.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

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WANTED—GARDENER WITH LIFE LONG EXperience wants position on private place. Employed for seven years on the estate of Baron de Rothschild in Vienna. City references. Kindly answer. Address G, box 82, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE CHAUFFEUR WANTS POSItion in private family, have good experience, very careful driver, understands repair of car, willing to do general help. GEORGE, 223 S. Hill st.

WANTED—BY APARTMENT JANITOR, RELIABLE, single, middle-aged man, would give his services part mornings and evenings (or steady) for room and small wages. Address G, box 109, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERIENCED GENERal merchandise and advertising man. Good salesman, age 34, best local references. Will go out of city. PAUL Z. SCHEILE, 536 S. Hope.

WANTED—JAPANESE YOUNG MAN WANTS A POsition as plain cook and housework in family. 123 N. SAN PEDRO ST. Chikara. Phone Broadway 6029.

WANTED—POSITION AS AUTOMOBILE SALESMAN or floor man, have had four years' experience. Will be open after December 7, can fill most any capacity, fairly good trouble locator. Address G, box 84, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A JAPANESE BOY OF GOOD HABIT would like a position as a school boy at Hollywood. Please call up HOME PHONE 57512, after 6 p.m.

WANTED — JOBBERS' AND MANUFACTURERS' salesman, exceptional record, no bluffer, delivers the goods, wants to locate here; salary or commission. Address W, box 501, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — APARTMENTS; SINGLE MAN, HANDY with tools and other work, would give his services part mornings and evenings for room and small wages. Address G, box 43, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — POSITION, YOUNG JAPANESE AND wife, experienced general housework, garden work and care for automobiles, horses, cows, city or country. Address P.O. BOX 433, L. A.

WANTED—POSITION AS MALE NURSE OR COMpanion to elderly gentleman; years of experience. R. W. NORTON, 165 Hurlbut st., Pasadena. Phone Fair Oaks 3370.

WANTED—YOUNG JAPANESE WANTS POSITION in automobile shop; good driver and has some shop experience; do not desire much wages. SATO, 920 W. Tenth st.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPING OR OTHER POSITION by experienced accountant; competent to manage office; best references; moderate salary. Address W, box 404, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE. Phone 25358.

WANTED — LINOTYPE OPERATOR, MACHINIST and all-around printer, pressman, desires permanent position at once in the West; 16 years' experience; competent, temperate and reliable. Address GEORGE FISHER, box 79, Norfolk, Neb.

WANTED—POSITION, CHAUFFEUR; YOUNG MAN, 7 years' experience; prefer private family; don't smoke or use liquor; country or city. SKOP, Whitney Apts., 2108 Maple ave. Phone 25274, South 680.

WANTED—ROOF WORK AND GENERAL REPAIRing by responsible all round mechanic. Sunset, Wilshire 5125. J. CORBLY BOWEN, 467 N. Belmont ave. Good references given and taken.

WANTED—WORK OF ANY KIND. AM STENOgrapher, book-keeper and notary public. Married, two small children. Will go out of town if necessary. Address G, box 76, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A YOUNG FILIPINO WANTS A POSItion in a private family as chauffeur. CALL A1774.

WANTED—POSITION BY A GOOD EXPERIENCED Japanese cook, place in private family. Address to HARY TANI, 345 E. First st., city.

WANTED—SITUATION, MIGHT WORK ONE OR two weeks free, or on percentage basis. WOLPERT, 237 N. Flower st.

WANTED—NEAT-APPEARING YOUNG MAN wishes position as chauffeur, best references. Call JACK WILLIAMS, 25504.

WANTED—YOUNG MAN WANTS WORK AFTER school hours for room and board. Also Saturdays. Address G, box 57, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CHAUFFEUR, POSITION BY RELIABLE young man. Address G, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION, JAP CHAUFFEUR, 5 YEARS driving car and garden work; best references. Address W, box 534, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE WISHES HALF DAY TO work apartment-house or garage; something else. Call KAY, 25009, 1835 Bonnie Brae st.

WANTED—BUTCHER, AN EXPERIENCED MEAT cutter, desires a position. Phone Broadway 150. Address G, box 84, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—POSITION ON RANCH BY YOUNG MAN who has experience, or in dairy work. Address G, box 139, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED— Situations, Male.

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WANTED—TO DO YOUR AUTO AND MACHINE repair work, at 25c per hour, or will contract at your own price. All work positively guaranteed. City touring free. CALL 53401.

WANTED—GARDENER WANTS POSITION, UNderstands autos, horses, cows, poultry, handy with tools. Sober. Address G, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PAINTER, FAST, RELIABLE MEchanic, wants work at $2.50 per day, has own tools, can furnish best references. Address G, box 125, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN AS SPECIAL PATROLman, watchman, secret police work. Apartment 1, 718 EIGHTH ST., Sacramento, Cal.

WANTED—A YOUNG SWEDISH MAN WANTS work of any kind and very capable in city or country. Call BROADWAY 5941. 557539.

WANTED—CHINESE SCHOOL BOY WISHES POSItion in family, good cook. PHONE CHINATOWN EXCHANGE.

WANTED—ALL AROUND HIGH CLASS BAKER (pastry cook) wants position. J. B. KRAUT, New Broadway Hotel.

WANTED—JAPANESE WANTS ONE HOUR'S GARden work, or something else, and room, early in the morning. Call 23078.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS JAPANESE GARDENER wants to take care of garden, position with room preferred. Address E, box 59, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — FORD OWNER WOULD LIKE WORK for himself, using his car, would run to suburban towns in passenger service for guarantee. 74111.

WANTED—JOB AS PORTER OR COOK BY EXPERIenced Japanese. Address G, box 204, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, WISHES position in family; references; also to do general housework. Address G, box 55, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TWO YOUNG PAINTERS WANT WORK in exchange for furnished apartment. Address G, box 296, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BAKERS, FIRST-CLASS, ALL-AROUND, would like position, city or country. B. HOGLE, 920 W. Eighth st. Phone 52191.

WANTED—GARDENING AND GENERAL WORK BY hour or day. Phone BROADWAY 2954 for gardener.

WANTED—LAWNS TO MOW, 75c AND UP PER month. SOUTH 2879.

WANTED — POSITION, CHEF, INSTITUTION OR hotel; best references. WM. AYERS, 610 Maple ave., room 2.

WANTED—GARDENER AND HANDY MAN WANTS day work or steady position. Address Box 45, TIMES OFFICE, Pasadena.

WANTED—MARRIED MAN WANTS WORK, DO anything. Licensed chauffeur. References. R. F. HARDING. South 2891.

WANTED — JAPANESE, FIRST-CLASS COOK, DEsires situation; excellent references. 413 WEST SEVENTH ST. 64233; Main 8048.

WANTED—JAPANESE SCHOOL BOY WANTS PLACE to work for board. PHONE 41772 or BOYLE 1909.

WANTED—BY JAPANESE STUDENT, WORK IN forenoon. A3659. 151 N. CENTRAL AVE.

EMPLOYMENT— Agencies.

WANTED—NOTICE TO PRIVATE FAMILIES, WHEN you need first-class domestic help phone us. Prompt and reliable service. We make a specialty of domestic help. Try us. LOS ANGELES EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 410-11 Germain Bldg., 224 S. Spring st. Phone F5419.

WANTED—THE PACIFIC
JAPANESE AAA EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,
445 S. Olive st., Los Angeles.
F1078. Main 1714.

WANTED— Situations, Female.

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WANTED—POSITION BY EXPERT BOOK-KEEPER; 6 years' local experience along several lines; excellent references, salary $8 per week. Can operate typewriter. Phone WEST 4782.

WANTED—SMALL SET OF BOOKS TO KEEP in spare time. Expert book-keeper. Excellent references given. Phone WEST 4782.

WANTED—REFINED WIDOW WITH GIRL 4 years old wishes to assist in family for room and board. Prefer home where parents are employed. City or country. References. Address W, box 402, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BY YOUNG AMERICAN WOMAN HOUSEkeeper, position in gentleman's club or small hotel; good cook and manager. Address V, box 571, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS LAUNDRESS WISHES work at home; gentlemen's shirts a specialty. Best references. BDWY. 4372.

WANTED—WOMAN WOULD LIKE POSITION IN private family to do general housework with girl for second work or care of children. Good reference. BROADWAY 3016.

WANTED—COMPETENT WOMAN WISHES POSItion as cook, private family; capable of taking entire charge; good references. 121 E. 28TH ST. Phone 3564.

WANTED—REFINED LADY WISHES POSITION AS working housekeeper in gentleman's home. Phone MAIN 7087. F3531, room 807.

WANTED—A RELIABLE COLORED WOMAN WANTS position as chambermaid or housework. Phone MAIN 6750.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED GIRL, CARE OF children or upstairs work and sewing. PHONE 269232.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK WANTED BY experienced colored woman, good cook. Phone BROADWAY 2928.

WANTED—SITUATION, COMPETENT GIRL, GENeral housework, no laundry, wages $40. 501 E. 15TH ST. Tel. 20463.

WANTED—A GOOD HOME FOR HIGH SCHOOL girl, to work for board and room and small wages. 77411, or 41508.

WANTED—LACE CURTAINS CAREFULLY LAUNdered, 25 cents pair. Work guaranteed. F7940. 927 STANFORD AVE.

WANTED — ENGAGEMENTS FOR ELOCUTION reader afternoon and evening. PHONE WILSHIRE 5100.

WANTED—LADY WANTS POSITION AS HOUSEkeeper in gentleman's home. No objection to children. BROADWAY 1019.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, COMpetent Swedish-German Woman's Bureau. Phone mornings, 12639. MAIN 1095.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED HOUSEKEEPER FROM the East wishes position in or out of city. Phone BROADWAY 6576.

WANTED—GENERAL HOUSEWORK BY ELDERLY Irish-American woman, good cook, $20 month. PHONE 12639. MAIN 1095.

WANTED—FAMILY WORK, BY COMPETENT dressmaker and designer. Phone SOUTH 1987. CLASS.

WANTED—GOOD COOK WANTS SITUATION, country preferred. Good experience. Address N. J., room 209, GILLIGAN APTS. Phone 10687.

WANTED—SITUATION BY MIDDLE-AGED REFINed woman as companion to lady, or light housekeeping. MRS. H., box 467, Ocean Park.

WANTED — PRACTICAL NURSE WILL BRING nervous or paralytic patient to her home. Tel. VERMONT 775.

WANTED—DRESSMAKER WANTS WORK BY DAY, $2 and car fare. 6117 SPRINGVALE DRIVE, city.

WANTED—NEAT AND RELIABLE GIRL WITH EXperience, would like second work. WEST 6 or 74546.

WANTED—COLORED GIRL WANTS HOUSE WORK in small family, good plain cook or day's work. Phone BROADWAY 5421.

WANTED—POSITION FOR HOUSEWORK OR CARE of one or two children. Call or address 545 WALL ST., Room 42.

WANTED—HOUSEKEEPING AND COOKING BY capable experienced girl, $35. Call 9 to 12 a.m. A3642.

WANTED—LADY WISHES APARTMENT OR COMfortable housekeeping room in exchange for services. Close in preferred. PHONE 51365.

WANTED—BY EASTERN GIRL, A PLACE FOR general housework or as assistant. Call 1003 W. 11TH ST.

WANTED—JAPANESE GIRL WANTS SITUATION IN private family. General housework. 64233, MAIN 8048.

WANTED—TWO EXPERIENCED COLORED GIRLS want chamber work. Phone BROADWAY 1108.

WANTED—SITUATION BY EXPERIENCED COLored woman, housework. Call MAIN 9598.

WANTED—POSITION BY PRACTICAL NURSE. Phone BROADWAY 163, room 214.

WANTED—GERMAN LADY WANTS WORK BY day; can do anything. Phone BROADWAY 5918.

WANTED—SITUATION FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork by colored girl. Call SOUTH 40-J4.

WANTED — FIRST-CLASS COLORED LAUNDRESS wants work at home, or day work. BOYLE 1341.

WANTED—COMPETENT WOMAN WANTS WORK BY day or hour. Phone 52428. MISS CARPENTER.

WANTED—WORK, HOUR OR DAY; MRS. McD., (colored.) F2421. Call 7 to 9 a.m.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER WANTS POSITION, $8. For quick service call MAIN 4796; F8198.

WANTED— Situations, Male and Female.

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WANTED—NEAT JAPANESE COUPLE, CAPABLE and willing, wishes work together in private family; hotel, apartment or rooming-house, city or country. Thoroughly experienced in waiting on table and housework. Some gardening, understand English well. Address D, box 203, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—MAN AND WIFE WITH DESERT EXperience, wants position on camp or ranch. Man general work, wife plain cook. 651 RUTH AVE. Apt. 28. Main 3187.

WANTED—BY CASTILIAN MAN AND WIFE POsition in the city or country such as ranch work. Take Sierra Vista car, get off Schutzen Park. 1237 HELLMAN AVE. city. Broadway 2095.

WANTED—COLORED MAN AND WIFE WISH POSItion in private family as first-class cook and chauffeur. PHONE WEST 2259. References.

WANTED— Work by the Day.

WANTED—WORK BY THE DAY BY EXPERIENCED woman, washing or cleaning. Phone F[illegible].

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WANTED — AMERICAN WOMAN, PERMANENT situated, wants laundry work. 1222 BELLEVUE AVE. Broadway 6215.

WANTED—BY EXPERIENCED LAUNDRESS, WILL do house cleaning 3 or 4 days a week. Room A, F4648.

WANTED—WASHING, IRONING, CLEANING, COMpetent Swedish and German woman. Bureau. Phone 12639, MAIN 1095.

WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED JAPANESE BOY wants washing to take home, $5 up. F3851.

WANTED— Carpentering, Paper-hanging, Tinting, etc.

WANTED—PAINTING, PAPERING, TINTING, ETC. 20 years' experience. Want work at once at your own price. Address E, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—WALL PAPER FURNISHED AND HUNG, $2.50 per room, painting, tinting, patch plastering. We know the business. Call us for samples, 25855, SOUTH 2882.

WANTED — MONEY BACK ROOF REPAIRING, also all kinds of roof painting; chimney sweeping and furnace repairing. A. H. MONMERT, 1537 W. Pico st. Wilshire 711. 52567.

WANTED — CALSOMINING AND PAINTING BY day or contract; references from reliable men I have worked for furnished. HOME phone 41508.

WANTED — PAINTING, TINTING, PAPER HANGing, first-class work. Prices reasonable. PAUL GOODWIN, 420 W. Eighth. Main 969. F1186.

WANTED — PAINTING, PAPERING, TINTING, REpair work a specialty. Satisfaction guaranteed. Phones: 71958; WEST 4113.

WANTED—PAINTING, PAPERING, TINTING, LOWest prices consistent with good work. HALE, 1740 Magnolia. West 6226.

WANTED—PAPER HANGER DOES PAINTING, tinting, man who knows his business, wishes work. MAIN 6423. 52090.

WANTED—WALL PAPER FURNISHED AND HUNG, $2.50 per room and up. Painting and tinting. PHONE F4782. BROADWAY 3755.

WANTED—ROOMS TINTED, $1.00 UP. FIGURES on painting and paperhanging cheerfully given. PHONE 28228.

E. SMITH, THE CHAIR CANER, CHAIRS CANED, repaired, braced, work done good; also cheap. 216 EAST 3RD ST.

WANTED—CARPENTER WORK, BUILDING ALterations, repairs, day's work, or contract. Tel. HOME A1579.

WANTED—CARPENTER, GOOD ALL-AROUND MAN, wants job; $3 day. WILSHIRE 3411.

WANTED— To Rent.

WANTED—A WELL AND COMPLETELY FURNISHed 5-room flat on second floor in a desirable neighborhood. Adults. Address G, box 81, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TO RENT 4-ROOM UNFURNISHED FLAT by man and wife not over $20. Modern. Address G, box 61, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—SMALL FURNISHED OR UNFURNISHED bungalow, close in, reasonable rent. 26262.

WANTED—SMALL STORE OR HOUSE, LOW RENT. WOLBERT, 237 N. Flower.

WANTED— Partners.

WANTED—YOUNG BUSINESS MAN, OPENING REalty and brokerage office, desires lady partner who can attend office end. $250 required. Splendid chance. Guaranteed salary if desired. Address W, box 442, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—BUSINESS OPPORTUNITY. HANDLE your own money. I'll do the work, making 25 per cent. annually on $50,000. Principals only so bank references required. Address T, box 518, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED — PARTNER, BETWEEN 30 AND 25 years, in wholesale coffee and tea; our product is nationally advertised; on the Coast line 8 years. Address G, box 294, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADY WISHES PARTNER IN LARGE chicken ranch. Address G, box 38, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—CUTTER FOR ESTABLISHED MEN'S tailoring business as partner. Address G, box 72, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTY WITH $1000 TO TAKE HALF interest in perfumes manufacturing business. Address G, box 10, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—PARTNER WITH $600. CALL AT 544½ S. MAIN.

WANTED— Rooms.

WANTED—TO RENT—ONE ROOM UNFURNISHED apartment. Must be close in and cheap rent. Address V, box 565, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED— To Purchase, Real Estate.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE:

Six or seven-room bungalow in west or northwest part of city to $6500. Will give $3000 residence lot as part payment, balance cash. Owners only submit.
R. O. WILLIAMS, with
R. C. MITCHELL CO.,
A4717. 614 Trust & Savings Bldg. Bdwy. 978.

WANTED—TO PURCHASE:

A residence worth about $20,000. Will pay for same with equity in 120 acres of foothills at Beverly, party must be willing to pay off or assume $28,000. Agents or owners. See LEON R. CONKLIN, 812 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—IF YOU HAVE PROPERTY OF ANY DEscription for sale or exchange, list it with me for results.
H. A. ECKERT, with
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TO LET—MODERN HOME FOR YOUNG WOMEN; laundry privileges. Steam heat. 514 S. GRAND.

TO LET— Unfurnished Houses.

TO LET—TO GET TENANT AT ONCE WILL RENT my 10-room modern residence for only $50. Has 5 bedrooms, furnace, double garage, all conveniences. Located on high ground in West Washington district. CHAS. R. PRICE, 60591, Main 3400.

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TO LET—2850 FRANCIS AVE. 10-ROOM DWELLing; 6 sleeping-rooms, bath, 2 laundry trays; 2 toilets; $25. A4522, after 6 WILSHIRE 3592 or 55433.

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TO LET—9-ROOM HOUSE AT 2933 WESTERN ave., in first-class condition, $25 per month; one month free to tenant who will put in lawn. 623 CHAMBER OF COMMERCE. F6677.

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TO LET—8-ROOM MODERN HOUSE, HARDWOOD floors, stationary tubs, nice garage, small sleeping porch. 1629 TOBERMAN.

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TO LET—4-ROOM HOUSE, GAS, BATH, LAWN, big chicken yard. Inquire 1451 HENRY ST. East 2541.

TO LET—5-ROOM MODERN COTTAGE, CLOSE IN, partly furnished. Phone Boyle 298, or call 2529 MICHIGAN AVE., evenings or Sunday.

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TO LET—7-ROOM MODERN BUNGALOW, HOLLYwood way, high ground, beautiful view, curtains and gas range, in house, $35. Phone OWNER, 59623.

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AT HERMOSA BEACH GOOD OPENING FOR ... and fuel business building, and ¼ acre, ... railroad switch. Also another place ... small dairy, large house, outbuildings, desirable for chickens or rabbits, reasonable. Owner, ... VARD BLVD., Los Angeles. Vermont 1668.

IF YOU WANT TO INVEST IN AN OIL STATION we have several good stations listed for sale ... ns. Call at the WEST COAST FILLING STATION, corner Washington and Hoover, Saturday afternoon or Sunday a.m. Do not waste your time on Sunday as station will be sold.

FOR SALE—POOL HALL, 5 TABLES, ... stand and large stock, at big sacrifice ... quick, on account of sickness, best location ... Inner Harbor. See W. B. DENMAN, owner, ... Canal st., Wilmington. Have two years' ... only $30.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, ONE OF THE BEST-LOCATED garages in the city; doing a good business; carrying a complete line of accessories; modern machinery; all in excellent condition. For full information, inquire at 1951 NORWOOD ST.

DANDY BUY—A WELL-LOCATED ... picture theater; this is a money maker. ... compelled to go east on account of sickness ... will sacrifice for $425; worth double this ... See me at 355 S. BROADWAY, room 412.

FOR SALE—FIRST-CLASS DRUG STORE, ... $2300; sell at discount account sickness. ... Vermont 3326, city, or W. M. ARNOLD, ... st., San Diego, Cal.

WANTED—MAN TO HANDLE DEPARTMENT ... fice business (not real estate.) $200 ... Salary $75 to start. Address G, box 66, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MOVING PICTURE THEATER, ... location and good money maker. Owner ... city account ill health. Will sell at half ... Full investigation. See MR. DAVIS, ...

FOR SALE—ESTABLISHED CASH GROCERY, ... location, fresh, clean stock and fixtures, ... gain. Address owner, G, box 141, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 GOOD MEN WITH FROM ... $500 to start in a business that will pay ... $250 to $300 per month. Call in person or ... E. A. HILL, 834 S. Los Angeles st., ...

FOR SALE—ONE OF THE BEST PAYING ... liquor stores (no bar,) in Oakland, Cal. ... location, long lease, reasonable rent. License ... limited. Apply A. S. KAUL, 488 W. ... Oakland, Cal.

CONFECTIONERY AND ICE-CREAM STAND ... sale, soda fountain and fixtures; good ... selling; cheap if taken at once. ... OAKS, South Pasadena.

WILL GIVE RESPONSIBLE PARTY $100 ... tionally good chance to work himself ... with a wholesale creamery route. Call ... p.m., 626 S. HOPE ST. Phone Broadway ...

FOR SALE—BILLIARD-ROOM IN CITY ... voice, fully equipped, for balance due ... tract. See MR. BARTLETT at the ... Balke-Callender Co., 331 E. 3rd.

WANTED—BUTCHER TO RUN MEAT ... in connection with grocery located on ... corner, everything ready to do business, ... 4370 S. MAIN, corner of Vernon.

A MAN WITH KNOWLEDGE OF THE CAFE ... new and $1000 to take half interest in ... opening in San Diego. For information ... MARTIN, 402 Hollingsworth Bldg.

FOR SALE—MILLINERY STORE IN LIVELY ... Orange county; fine income and clean ... you want a business, it will pay to investigate ... Address VG, box 298, TIMES OFFICE.

BAKERIES FOR SALE AND RENT. CALL ... see list. BAKER'S INFORMATION ... E. Pico. Main 6730.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—OLD ... FEED AND FUEL BUSINESS. ... OR PHONE EAST 2693.

FOR SALE—A MONEY-MAKING ... business. Price $500. Quick action ... I must leave Los Angeles soon. Address V, box 450, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

BLACKSMITH TOOLS AND STOCK FOR ... cash or time. Fine location. Address ... 192, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—ROUTE WITH WESTERN ... with or without auto. Apply evenings ... TOWNE AVE.

BUSINESS CHANCES— Wanted and Miscellaneous.

WANTED—MACHINIST WANTS POSITION IN ... chine shop, or handy man in automobile ... can invest some money or dinkey bus. Address box 138, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GROCERY TO $5000 IN EXCHANGE ... the best 8-room house in southwest. ...

WANTED—
For quick action, drop answers to Times "Liners" in Times letter boxes in downtown office buildings. The locations of the boxes are printed in the first column of The Times "Liner" section.

SWAPS— All Sorts.

FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—4-CYLINDER ... boat. Want automobile or property. ... LAND. 556195.

FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR LOT IN SAN DIEGO ... rent of flat or small cottage, furnished. ... HILL ST.

MONEY TO LOAN— Real Estate and Improvements.

SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS—

We make a specialty of second mortgage ... amounts of $100 to $1000, and make no charge ... title or escrow fees. The borrower receives the ... amount in cash without any deductions ... Loaning our own funds, we are very prompt ... terms reasonable.
We deal with owners only, our rates being ... to permit us accepting any loans through ...
WATERMAN & CO.,
904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg.
Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN ON REAL ESTATE
Lots, residences, apartments, stores, ...
IN SUMS OF $50 TO $100,000
Cash for first mortgages.
Straight building loans a specialty.
Interest at 6, 7 and 8 per cent. ...
Advice free. Appraisement free.
No delays, no red tape. Any sum desired.
Large and small city loans a specialty.
Bond issues for erecting big buildings.
Street bonds purchased.
CONSOLIDATED MORTGAGE COMPANY,
310 Douglas Bldg. Phone ...

IF YOUR LOT IS CLEAR OR NEARLY SO
We loan full cost of home; make ... estimates, build to your order; 20 years' experience. We use the best.
Plastone bath floors and drainboards ...
Plumbing goods from H. R. Boynton Co.
Sash and doors from Frank Graves Co.
Humphrey gas water heaters, etc., etc.
WESTON BUILDING CO., Estab. 24 years.
607 Lankershim Bldg. 128 W. Third st.

$350,000 TO LOAN—
AT LOWEST RATE OF INTEREST ...
City or country improved or ... amounts from $2000 up.
EDWARD P. BURNETT, with ...
A4717. R. C. MITCHELL CO.
614 Trust and Savings Bldg.

$500,000 TO LOAN—
At lowest rates, city or country improved or ... improved; any amount from $2500 up.
FRANKLIN HARPER,
1002 Merchants National Bank Bldg.
A1904 or Main 287. Sixth and ...

IMMEDIATE SHORT TIME REAL ESTATE ... $50 to $1000, one or more months; first or ... mortgages, or contracts; money same day; ... brokerage, or any fees. Lowest interest. ... or mortgages bought. H. M. CORLETTE, ... curity Bldg. Spring and Fifth. F2730; Main ...

MONEY TO LOAN—ANY AMOUNT ON VACANT ... improved, building loans a specialty, ... rates.
CHANDLER, CASSOU & CO., ...
F3121. 503-4-5 Bradbury Bldg.

QUICK LOANS ON REAL ESTATE ... first or second mortgage; long or short ... commission or title fees; money same day; ... loan on or buy mortgages, trust deeds ... tracts. SECOMBE, 729 Title Ins. Bldg. Fifth and Spring. F5559.

Classified Liners.

MONEY TO LOAN— Real Estate and Improvements.

MONEY TO LOAN—
First Mortgages.
Improved city or suburbs.
Prompt service.
No charge for appraisal.
See MR. DEXTER, WATERMAN & CO., 904 Merchants' National Bank Bldg. Corner Sixth and Spring sts.

MONEY TO LOAN—
IN AMOUNTS UP TO $15,000.
PREFER LOANS ON COUNTRY PROPERTY, BUT WILL CONSIDER CITY LOANS. PRINCIPALS ONLY.
L. G. STRAUB, 890 SECURITY BLDG. PHONE F1261.

$100,000 TO LOAN ON FIRST MORTGAGES AND trust deeds on residences, flats and vacant lots in Los Angeles, 8 per cent. interest. Borrowers must apply in person. We buy mortgages and trust deeds. Money always on hand. No delays or red tape in closing loan. See us for prompt service. Loans from $500 to $5000; especially desirable. SHANK & SHANK, 311 Union League Bldg. F4224.

HAVE FROM $25,000 TO $50,000 FOR GOOD first mortgages; must be local improved and show good value; if you can offer this security and are willing to buy small equity at less than bank appraisal can let you have the money. Call or phone mornings. HAROLD L. DAHL, 829 Union Oil Bldg. [illegible]

WANTED—TO PURCHASE ABOUT $20,000 WORTH of first mortgages at discount; will pay for same with clear lot and cash. Principals only. Address [illegible] box 18, TIMES OFFICE.

[illegible] TO $4000 ON GOOD CITY IMPROVED PROPERTY, WEST SIDE, PRINCIPALS ONLY. GEO. W. JONES COMPANY, 418 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

MONEY TO LOAN ON APPROVED REAL ESTATE. Stocks and bonds, at current rates. McCONNELL & IRVINE, Established 1886. 811-12 Douglas Bldg.

TO LOAN—$2500, 7 PER CENT., ON CITY; 8 per cent. county; not over 40 per cent. of valuation. Principals only. Address W, box 458, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

[illegible] OR PART TO LOAN TO OWNERS of real estate, if property justifies; will make loan same day. ROSE REALTY CO., Hollingsworth Bldg. 53658, Wilshire 2228.

MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE, LISTED stocks, bonds and on personal security; notes and commercial paper bought. TRADERS' EXCHANGE, 21 Bryson Bldg. Bdwy. 5199, A5602.

[illegible] BROS. MAKE LOANS ON REAL estate, building loans a specialty. 1026 VAN NUYS BLDG. F1209. Main 4096.

PRIVATE MONEY, LOWEST RATES, CITY OR country, and building loans. LOCKHART & SON, [illegible] I. W. Hellman Bldg. A2776. Main 5578.

[illegible] TO LOAN AT 8 PER CENT., TO [illegible], on A1 security. JOHNSON, 428 [illegible] Bldg.

PLENTY OF PRIVATE MONEY—7-8 PER CENT. F. H. EVARTS, [illegible] Main 4069. 802 Van Nuys Bldg.

MONEY TO LOAN — REPRESENT PRIVATE PARTIES. IRVING L. MAYER, [illegible] Broadway 3564. 223 Story Bldg.

WILL BUY YOUR TRUST DEEDS OR CONTRACTS. MR. ALLEN, 510 Trust & Savings Bldg. Phone [illegible] Main 8768.

TO LOAN—$1000, THREE YEARS, 8 PER CENT., city improved, private party, no commission. No agents. [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN ON SECOND MORTGAGES AND trust deeds. Call or write. V. E. STOCKWELL & CO., 304 Grant Bldg. A1958.

FIRST AND SECOND MORTGAGE LOANS. MONEY waiting. ERNEST E. FAIR CO., 421 Grant Bldg. [illegible]

MONEY TO LOAN — ON MORTGAGES, SECOND trust deeds and listed securities. 516 WILCOX BLDG.

WE HAVE MONEY TO LOAN IN SMALL AMOUNTS at 7 per cent. TRUE & WRIGHT, 715 Story Bldg.

PRIVATE MONEY—LARGE OR SMALL AMOUNTS, first or second mortgages. MORTGAGE INVESTMENT CO., 805 Van Nuys Bldg. 68290.

TO LOAN—$200 TO $30,000, CITY OR COUNTRY. E. R. EARNEST & CO., [illegible] I. W. Hellman Bldg. F4757. Main 5555.

TO LOAN—$800, GOOD SECURITY; NO AGENTS. Phone West 2740.

EDWARD C. CRIBB SONS LOAN MONEY CONsolidated Realty Bldg. Sixth and Hill.

MONEY LOANED—CONTRACTS AND MORTGAGES bought. A. McCALL, 314 Bullard Block.

MONEY TO LOAN— Salaries and Chattels.

IF YOU WANT A RELIABLE PLACE TO BORROW money in small amounts you will make no mistake by coming to us. Easy weekly or monthly payments. Let us tell you more about it at our office. CENTRAL LOAN COMPANY, [illegible] Security Bldg. 510 S. Spring st. Phones: F6512, Main 4018.

PRIVATE LOANS PRIVATE [illegible] MADE. IF YOU ARE KEEPING HOUSE, SEE US. [illegible]-AMERICAN LOAN CO. [illegible] 701-702 DELTA BLDG. [illegible] 426 S. SPRING ST. F2153.

[illegible] LOANS— [illegible] AND EASIEST TERMS. FIDELITY LOAN CO., [illegible] corner Fourth and Broadway. [illegible] F3421. Bdwy. 5171.

DIAMOND LOANS 1 TO 2 PER CENT. KUSEL, [illegible] Bldg., Third and Spring. Established [illegible] years. Bank references. Diamonds kept [illegible]. WE BUY DIAMONDS ALSO.

LOANS ON DIAMONDS, CONFIDENTIAL, BANK REFerences. [illegible]-LAUGHLIN, 710 Grant Bldg. Fourth and Broadway.

SALARIED MEN AND WOMEN ACCOMMODATED without delay or publicity. SOUTHERN CREDIT CO., 411 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—MONEY: $15,000, 7 per cent. and $750 discount. I own a first mortgage of $15,000, earning 7 per cent. interest on improved income property in the Westlake district. I loaned this money six months ago and mortgage has two and one-half years to run. Interest has been paid promptly. Property is worth more than $35,000 and is insured for $18,000. In order to realize quickly I will sell this mortgage to net purchaser 9 per cent. interest. In other words you can buy this mortgage for $14,250 cash. Address P. O. box 242, Station C, LOS ANGELES.

WANTED—$3000, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT., ON $10,000 modern home in fine locality. Value of lot, dwelling and insurance each exceed amount of loan required.

$5000—3 years, 8 per cent., on $25,000, fine 20 acre alfalfa ranch at Gardena, in Shoestring strip. Acreage here is worth $1200 acre cash. $4000, 8 per cent., on $96,800; 80 acres, south of city. This sold at $1100 per acre cash and only $50 loan per acre is required. F. A. PATTEE, 607 Story Bldg. Main 1989. F6748.

WANTED—MONEY: We are offering a $5000 first mortgage, 3 years, paying 8 per cent., on a good ranch at Gardena. Improvements consist of modern 9-room house, barn, chicken corrals, pumping plant. Well fenced. Will sell to earn 10 per cent. BANKERS BOND & MORTGAGE COMPANY, [illegible] Washington Bldg. Main 174.

WANTED—$4000 FOR 3 YEARS. 10 PER CENT. INTEREST. TO CONSTRUCT MOVING PICTURE THEATER ON BUSINESS CORNER. Address G, BOX 299, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$3000 AT 8, ON A NINE-ROOM HOME on Monte Vista street in Highland Park. Street [illegible] and car passes door. The owners value [illegible]. This loan will appeal to the most conservative. FRANKLIN, 201 American Bank. A5042. [illegible] 8121.

WANTED—LOAN OF $1000 ON $9000 WORTH OF [illegible], in 65-room apartment-house; Westlake [illegible]; will pay 1½ per cent. interest per month for one or two years; I own the building and lot [illegible] run the house myself. Bank references. MAIN [illegible]

WANTED—MONEY: $4000, 8 PER CENT., HOLLYwood, fine home, two lots. $800, 10 per cent. on two lots, Pasadena. These are first class loans. A. BOEKER, [illegible] 522 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

IF YOU HAVE MONEY YOU WANT LOANED ON real estate, place it with people who know how; we have twenty years' experience in this business in this city; best of references given. TRUE & WRIGHT, 715 Story Bldg.

WANTED—$25,000 LOAN ON $90,000 LOS ANgeles first mortgages. If party will co-operate in handling mortgages, his investment will pay him 12 to 14 per cent. Address W, box 457, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—NINE THOUSAND DOLLARS ON TEN acre Valencia grove near Anaheim, good bearing, modern bungalow and other outbuildings; [illegible] twenty-five thousand dollars. J. W. KOLLENBERGER, Anaheim, Cal.

WANTED—$900 AT 10 PER CENT. ON A FIVE-[illegible] house on the west side of town, worth [illegible]. Rented to and owned by colored people. [illegible] $1450. FRANKLIN, 201 American Bank. [illegible] Broadway 8121.

[illegible] UP, 8 PER CENT., NEW BUILDINGS, ABSOLUTELY GILT EDGE, NO LIENS, PERFECT [illegible] PRINCIPALS ONLY. GEO. W. JONES COMPANY, 418 HIBERNIAN BLDG.

WANTED—FOR SALE—FIRST TRUST DEED $800, secured by two fine city lots. Will discount. [illegible] Black Bldg. Main 2161.

WANTED—$10,000, 7 PER CENT., 3 YEARS, ON [illegible] residence, by owner. Call mornings or [illegible]

WANTED—$3000, 3 YEARS, 8 PER CENT. NO [illegible] need reply. Address G, box 33, TIMES [illegible]

WANTED—$4000 ON WILSHIRE HOUSE WHICH I [illegible] at $8500. Will pay 7 per cent. interest [illegible] per cent. commission. HANCOCK, 317 Central Bldg. F7316, Main 9626.

[illegible] ROSE WANTS FROM PRIVATE PARTY [illegible] OR MORE, HIS SECURITY, 701 WATER-[illegible] 53658. WILSHIRE 2228.

MONEY WANTED— Real Estate and Collaterals.

WANTED—
Principals only.
Pasadena loan.
$5000—three years—8 per cent. to close escrow. Property now being sold for $12,000, which is below the market. Party signing mortgage, A-1 moral risk, in fact, good for the amount many times over without a mortgage. See me Monday.
H. J. CALDWELL, 926 Title Insurance Bldg.
Main 2909. A2909.

WANTED—
$2000—8 per cent., 3 years.; 80 acres of land, Kern county; good water conditions and adjoining improved ranches. Sold land in adjoining section with water at $125 per acre. This land would be cheap at $75 per acre or $6000, security for loan. Will pay commission.
H. J. CALDWELL, 926 Title Insurance Bldg.
A2909. Main 2909.

WANTED—
$1000, 3 years, 8 per cent. Security: Acreage close to paved boulevard in Chatsworth Park, easily worth $3000. Courtesy to agents.
THE G. H. A. GOODWIN COMPANY, 302 Central Bldg., 6th and Main.
F3150. Main 7859.

WANTED—LOAN OF $30,000 ON CITRUS LAND, close to Los Angeles. Property worth four times amount desired. Address G, box 193, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — $15,000 FOR 3 YEARS ON RANCH property near the city. Loan is only 25 per cent. of valuation. Address G, box 190, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$25,000 TO $50,000, SECURITY LOS Angeles first mortgages; will pay 10 to 12 per cent. Address V, box 324, TIMES BRANCH OFFICE.

WANTED—WILL SELL SECOND TRUST DEED OF $3000 at $800 discount; due in 16 months; interest 8 per cent., payable quarterly; property value $15,000; close in; paying $100 a month. See G. R. SMITH, 224 I. W. Hellman Bldg. A1167, Vermont 2009.

WANTED—TO BORROW $4000, FOR 3 YEARS. Will pay 8 per cent. interest and give first mortgage on new Hollywood residence, value $15,000. MR. HULL, Hollywood 2484.

WANTED—7 PER CENT., BUILDING LOANS IN LaFayette Square, splendid securities. G. F. SLOAN. 75020.

WANTED—$15,000 AT 7, CLOSE IN, IMPROVED business property, worth $45,000. FRANKLIN, 201 American Bank. A5042. Broadway 8121.

WANTED—$2500 AT 8, ON AN ACRE LOT FACING Pasadena avenue, close in and having trackage facilities. Appraised at $12,00. FRANKLIN, 201 American Bank. A5042. Broadway 8121.

WANTED—$15,000 FIRST MORTGAGE, A-1 SEcurity, 300 acres highly improved. Address M. HOBIN, Baltimore Hotel, Los Angeles.

FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — CHEAP; 2 ELECTRICAL MOVING-picture cabinets for displaying 8x10 photographic reproductions. Can be used for advertising purposes and made good income producers. Apply E. N. MARTIN, New Times Bldg.

FOR SALE — NEW AND SECOND-HAND CAROM and pocket-billiard tables; bowling alleys and accessories; bar fixtures of all kinds; easy payments. We trust the people. THE BRUNSWICK-BALKE-COLLENDER CO., 331-333 E. Third st. Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—
CLASSIFIED REAL ESTATE ADVERTISEMENTS in The Sunday Times must be received before 8 p.m. Saturdays. Classified "Want Ads.", etc., will be accepted until 11 p.m. Saturdays.

FOR SALE—OR RENT—LARGEST ASSORTMENT invalid wheel chairs. PROFESSIONAL SUPPLY CO., 415 W. Fifth st.

FOR SALE—BILLIARD AND POCKET TABLES, saloon fixtures and supplies. Not affiliated with the trust. J. VAN DYCK, 3247 E. Third st. Phone Boyle 2508.

FOR SALE — TENTS THAT ARE TENTS. WE make them all weights; have some slightly used. WISE & DOWNIE, 506 E. Seventh st. Phone Broadway 2169.

FOR SALE — "SCOTT'S" ASPHALTUM ROOF Paints, 50c gallon; 5 gallons, $2. SCOTT, THE ROOFER, 1702 S. Main st. South 877. Home 23898.

FOR SALE — OR RENT, INVALID'S WHEEL chairs, rent $1 week. Also cheapest furniture in city. LOU SKEELS, 1436 S. Main. Phone Main 7378.

FOR SALE—BY PRIVATE PARTY, GENTLEMAN'S fine black overcoat, size 38. Cheap for cash. 4028 PASADENA AVE.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE—FOUR FULL scholarships in a leading Los Angeles Business College. Address D, box 298, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—MEAT SLICING MACHINE, LATEST model; lot of fine shelving; one marble-top showcase. Call 313 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE — FIRE-PROOF AND BURGLAR-PROOF safes, large stock; safes for exchange. SHEALY SAFE CO., 212 S. Hill st.

FOR SALE—SWELL SET WHITE FOX, STOLL AND muff, also lynx set; never worn, lady must sell; will accept $15. Call 1409 CONSTANCE. Phone West 5595.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND MOSLER OFFICE SAFE, $50; Cabinet safe, $65. ANDERSON, 394 S. Los Angeles.

FOR SALE—SHOWCASES, SODA FOUNTAINS, LARGest stock in the West. WEBER SHOWCASE & FIXTURE CO., 316-22 S. Los Angeles st.

FOR SALE—SECOND-HAND SAFE, MECHANISM IN perfect condition; will sell cheap. 848 S. HILL STREET.

FOR SALE — MAN'S OVERCOAT, DARK COLOR, well tailored; racoon fur lining; almost new; a bargain. Address G, box 14, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—LADY'S DIAMOND RING, ¼ CARAT, blue white, perfect, cost $225. Take $145. 905 STORY BLDG. Phone 11926.

FOR SALE—CHEAP FUEL, APRICOT PIT SHELLS; clean and hot, $3.50 ton, delivered. WILSHIRE 1078.

FOR SALE—TRANSFERABLE MEMBERSHIP IN Los Angeles Athletic Club, cheap. CALL F4087.

FOR SALE—SCREENED FERTILIZER, 35C PER sack or by the load. SOUTH 5803.

FOR SALE—
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FOR SALE— Furniture.

FOR SALE — NEARLY NEW UPRIGHT PIANO, standard make, perfect condition. 1 set Haviland china, 67 pieces, decorated. 1 oak dining set; 1 oak secretary; 1 single bed mattress and springs; 1 gas heater. Leaving, any reasonable offer considered. Will sell separately, or exchange for diamond. G. S. REYNOLDS, 611 S. Hill. Phones: Broadway 2468; Home 10845.

FOR SALE — LEAVING, CONTENTS ELEGANT 10-room house, furniture, new, magnificent colonial Circassian walnut set, leather rocker, davenport, brass bed, fumed oak dining set, rugs, porch furniture; sewing machine; Kohler-Chase player piano, refrigerator, everything for home, selling by pieces. Big sacrifice. 1409 CONSTANCE ST. Pico Heights car. Phone West 5595.

FOR SALE—AT AUCTION, MONDAY, DECEMBER 7, 10 a.m. Furnishings 6-room house, 701 E. 41st street. Also 1913 Ford Roadster, San Pedro st., car sale advertised for today at 1222½ Sentous street, has been sold as a whole. W. J. BROOME, Auctioneer.

FOR SALE—FURNITURE BY THE PIECE. Rugs, dressers, fumed oak dining table, chairs with Spanish leather seats to match; reed breakfast-table and chairs; brass beds, springs, mattresses, chairs, rockers, mahogany player piano, etc. 134 S. OCCIDENTAL BLVD. Heliotrope Drive car.

FOR SALE—NEW ROUND PEDESTAL DINING table. Also refrigerator and kitchen cabinet. Half price. WILSHIRE 971. 52466.

FOR SALE—BASKET GRATES, GAS LOGS, GAS grates, andirons and wood mantels, from J. W. Frey stock, best goods made; closing out, half price. 1610 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE — AUCTION, COMPLETE AND GOOD furnishings of 20 rooms, Saturday, December 5, 9:30 a.m. 2907 S. GRAND AVE. I. W. England, Auctioneer. 22760, South 3038.

FOR SALE—VERY LARGE AXMINSTER AND BODY Brussels rugs; elegant furniture, complete, for 10 rooms, by the piece or whole. 29682.

OFFICE EQUIPMENT— For Sale, Exchange, Wanted.

FOR SALE—OFFICE FURNITURE, LOWEST prices. Office furniture bought, repaired, refinished and packed. SPELLMAN DESK CO., 730 S. Spring. Bdwy. 7783.

WANTED—THE DESK EXCHANGE. We buy, sell and rent desks at the lowest possible prices. Full line of filing cabinets, sectional bookcases. 814 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—REAL DESK BARGAINS NEW AND used; closing out $50,000 stock. BRONSON-CARLISLE DESK CO., 727 S. Spring. Lease for sale.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts.

Automobiles

JITNEY BUS SNAP—
Biggest snap in the city for dealers or bus men. Bring your money with you, for I will sell it to the first man who wants it and cheap; terms if responsible. See MR. CRAMER, 309 Van Nuys Bldg., today only.

FOR SALE — 1915 FORD TOURING CAR, PURchased Nov. 20; has been run less than 500 miles and is equipped with 31x4-inch tires; has V-shaped radiator, extra tube and other equipments; not a scratch on it. Can be seen at 1583 W. SEVENTH ST. 556014.

CARS WANTED FOR SPOT CASH.
A number of light cars in good order to complete our stock.
WHAT HAVE YOU TO OFFER?
Call 1039 S. BROADWAY. Phone F3981.

FOR SALE — OR EXCHANGE—1915 CASE 35, 5-passenger, electric starting and lighting system; maker's guarantee goes with car; extra tire and rim; will make some one a good deal for clear lot to $1600; no equities. NICKEL, 1238 S. Flower st. Main 4797. F7013.

FRANKLIN—I HAVE A LATE MODEL D, 38-horsepower, 5-passenger, in almost perfect shape; such a car is rarely offered for sale. Call or phone for demonstration. R. C. HAMLIN, 1040 S. Flower st. 60249, Main 7877.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE OR RUNABOUT, $475; might sell on easy terms, 6-cylinder toy tonneau; high grade, car fully equipped and in first-class condition. 2907 HALLDALE AVE. West 4319.

THINGS ON WHEELS— All Sorts.

Automobiles

BIG SNAPS—

The following cars must be sold this week regardless of price. Must have the room.

Cadillac 5-passenger, 1911 model, foredoors, all new tires and in first-class condition.

Regal underslung, 5-passenger 1914 model, lights and starter, run only 4100 miles, like new in every respect.

Abbott-Detroit, 5-passenger, 1914 model, electric lights and starter, fine condition.

Studebaker roadster, 1911 model, in first-class condition, at your own price.

Apperson, 5-passenger, 1912 model, in fine condition, good for jitney business.

Large roadster, 1914 model in fine condition.

Any one contemplating 5c bus business will find it worth while to look over our stock; no reasonable offer refused.
Cars will be sold for cash only.
MOON AGENCY, 810 W. Pico.

WHY PAY MORE FOR A USED TON TRUCK WHEN for $850 you can buy here on very easy monthly payment plan a new powerful, 4-cylinder ton truck, standard make, complete, fully guaranteed. 1312 S. GRAND AVE. Open Sunday.

WANTED—WILL PAY UP TO $500 SPOT CASH, for a 1914 or late 1913, electric starter and lights, light standard make touring car, prompt action necessary for I need a couple machines in my business. Address E, box 290, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—FORD, 1914, 5-PASSENGER TOURING car, in fine condition; equipped with electric lights, gas saver, speedometer, shock absorbers, extra tires and tubes, tire covers, mirrors and skid chains; cash. Phone HOLLYWOOD 1590.

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FOR SALE—1914 PEERLESS 6-48, 7-PASSENGER, fully equiped; run about 7000 miles; cost $5200; will sacrifice for $2750 cash. Address owner, 443 GRAND VIEW ST.

FOR SALE — 1912 POPE-HARTFORD, 7-PASSENger, electric lights, and fully equipped, in first-class condition; sacrifice for $600 cash. NICKEL, 1238 S. Flower. Main 4797. F7013.

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AUTOS STORED, $5 PER MONTH, FIREPROOF, expert salesman on floor, no charge for selling. 100 autos for sale cheap. 1152 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—$250 TODAY, MY 1910 BUICK WHITE Streak, just overhauled, cut down in racer shape. Newly painted. A1556. 309 N. SAN PEDRO.

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FOR SALE—HUP 20, ROADSTER, A1 CONDITION, presto tank, windshield, speedometer and top. Sell at once, $250 cash. Phone SMITH Home 22100.

WILL EXCHANGE AUTO TRUCKS, SIZES 3 TO 5 ton capacity, for horses. Address PIONEER TRUCK CO., San Diego.

WANTED—AT ONCE, BEST AUTOMOBILE THAT $250 or $300 will buy from owners only. Will give fine young horse as part payment. MAIN 1939.

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FOR SALE — TODAY, PULLETS, LAYING HENS, cocks and cockerels, all ages; baby chicks, hatching eggs, poultry supplies, etc. THE PIONEER HATCHERY CO., 112 E. Eighth st. Both phones.

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INVESTIGATE CLOTHES.

Washington Committee Will Try to Find Most Economical Way of Buying Garments.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

OLYMPIA (Wash.) Dec. 4.—A committee to investigate the most economical way to buy clothes and report to the State Labor Commissioners for the benefit of the 5000 working girls in Washington, was appointed today by Labor Commissioner Edward W. Olson. The committee is composed of the five women of the office help of the minimum wage conference.

TO ASK AID FOR SERVIANS.

Wife of Diplomat, Formerly Virginia Girl, Will Visit America, to Raise Funds.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Madame Slavko Grouitch, wife of the Servian permanent Under-Secretary of Foreign Affairs, who formerly was Miss Mabel G. Dunlap of Virginia, arrived in London today from Nish, where she has been organizing hospitals for the care of the Servian wounded. Madame Grouitch said there were 30,000 wounded persons and 60,000 refugees in Servia, who were in grave need of assistance. She will leave shortly for America, where she will endeavor to raise money for the Servians.

"Kaiserstadt."

THE BUDGET OF NEWS FROM GERMAN CAPITAL.

[BY WIRELESS AND A. P.]

BERLIN, Dec. 4.—Among the items of news given out by the German official press bureau today is the following:

"The Russian military newspaper, Russky Invalid, states that the number of Russian officers killed, wounded or taken prisoners now totals 33,000."

Included in the information given out by the German official press bureau today are the following items:

"Madrid reports that Moorish rebels have invaded Blanca and attacked the local garrison and the authorities.

"Rotterdam reports that on the Boer farms in South Africa there are to be found only women and natives; the men are at the front. Rudolph Moeller, a German, former resident of Morocco, has sworn to an affidavit which confirms the report that German civilians arrested in Morocco at the outbreak of the war, have been transported to Oran, Algeria, where French officers incited soldiers to commit brutalities upon them. The Germans were beaten with sticks, spit upon and attacked with sabers. Two men and one woman died from ill-treatment. German troops have discovered secret instructions prepared by the British General Staff, which contain information concerning the Belgian border, the disposition of rolling stock on the railroad and the billeting of men. These instructions could have been perpared only with the active assistance of the Belgian government, which supplied the detailed information contained in them. This is further evidence that England and Belgium decided long ago on English activity in Belgium, and this means a violation of neutrality. Constantinople reports there has been fighting between the Senussi tribesmen and the French in Southern Morocco. The leader of the Senussi was killed and the French were defeated.

"The Persian government has handed to the British Minister at Teheran a note protesting against the violation of Persian neutrality by the entrance of British warships into the Karun River.

"The Italian government has seized a Portuguese torpedo-boat destroyer built at Genoa.

"Athens reports that England has landed 34,000 Canadian volunteers in Egypt. The Fifth Austrian army has occupied Belgrade.

'Bulgaria contradicts the Greek report of a concentration of Bulgarian troops.

"The Austrian General Staff reports that fighting near Novo Radomsk and Lodz is developing favorably.

"A special dispatch from Gothenburg, Sweden, says a South Danish commercial newspaper reports that in 1909 Great Britain threw out a feeler to Holland about the possibility of concluding a military convention. Holland declined because such a course would be incompatible with her neutrality. As a reply to Holland the Anglo-Belgian agreement was concluded, whereupon Holland fortified Flushing.

"The gold reserve of the Imperial Bank is 1,991,000,000 marks ($496,000,000,) an increase over last week of $2,500,000 marks ($8,125,000.)

Rome reports that Abyssinia has declined the Anglo-French demand to send troops to fight the Turks in Egypt."

Activity.

FIGHTING IS RENEWED IN UPPER ALSACE.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

PARIS, Dec. 4, 11:55 p.m.—A dispatch to the Temps from Geneva says:

"The Federal Council has issued a communication declaring that there is renewed activity by the French and German forces in upper Alsace. Between Pfetterhausen and the French frontier, on the route of Rechezy, the French have placed batteries of heavy artillery. Southwest of Pfetterhausen, between the village and the frontier of Switzerland, the French also have prepared entrenchments and barbed wire obstacles.

"The Germans have constructed fortifications at Ottendorf, Liebensdorf and on the heights west of the River Ill on territory approaching that of the French.

"Since December 1, there has been a great movement of troops and on December 2 continual artillery fire was heard in the direction of Basle."

FRENCH DEFENDS CHURCHILL.

Sending of Naval Brigade Into Antwerp Resulted in Saving Belgian Army from Capture.

[BY ATLANTIC CABLE AND A. P.]

LONDON, Dec. 4.—Field Marshal Sir John French, in a dispatch covering the report of Gen. Archibald Paris, who commanded the British naval brigade at Antwerp, gives further testimony to the good effect the sending of that force to the assistance of the Belgians had on the allies' campaign generally, and thus farther supports the action of Winston Spencer Churchill, First Lord of the Admiralty, who has been criticised for sending it. Gen. French says:

"Although the results did not include the actual saving of the fortress, the action of the force under Gen. Paris certainly delayed the enemy for a considerable time and assisted the Belgian army to be withdrawn in a condition to enable it to reorganize and regain its value as a fighting force.

"The destruction of war materials and ammunition, which but for the intervention of this force would have proved of great value to the enemy, was thus able to be carried out. The assistance which the Belgian army has rendered throughout the subsequent course of operations on the canal and Yser River has been a valuable asset to the allied cause, and such help must be regarded as the outcome of the intervention of Gen. Paris's force.

"I am further of the opinion that the moral effect produced on the minds of the Belgian army by this necessarily desperate attempt to give them succor before it was too late has been of great value to their use and efficiency as a fighting force."

Gen. Paris says in his report that the capture of some of his bridage and the internment in Holland of others was due to the fact that the roads were crowded with refugees, to fatigue, and partly to "at present unexplained causes."

When Antwerp was bombarded, Gen. Paris says, the water supply was cut off and the whole city would have been destroyed by fire had there been any wind.

AEROPLANE MAIL SERVICE.

New System May be Established Between Kansas City Postoffice and the Union Station.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

KANSAS CITY, Dec. 4.—An aeroplane service will be established to carry mail from the Kansas City (Kan.) postoffice and substation to the union station in this city, if plans contemplated by the Postoffice Department are carried out, according to letters received here today.

Joseph Stewart, second assistant Postmaster-General, in writing to William A. Hovey, chief clerk in the railway mail service division here, asked information regarding the topography of the district and an opinion as to the advisibility of the plan.

He asserted the department was considering the establishment of an experimental aeroplane service. William Firstenberger, postmaster in Kansas City, Kan., wrote to the department today approving the plan.

WOMAN DIES ON TRAIN.

Mrs. W. A. Reherd En Route from Los Angeles to El Paso Expires as Train Nears Yuma.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 4.—Mrs. W. A. Reherd of this city died on the Southern Pacific train en route from Los Angeles to her home today. She had gone to Los Angeles with her granddaughter in the hope that a lower altitude would improve her health, as she had been suffering from organic heart trouble. She failed to improve and started home in company with her son, Dr. G. A. Reherd, who went to Los Angeles to accompany her home. When the train started up the Yuma hill the woman fainted and her death followed. The body was brought here for burial.

MORMONS PREY OF THE MEXICANS.

PRESIDENT SMITH TELLS OF THEIR LOT IN AN ADDRESS TO REFUGEES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Dec. 4.—President Joseph Smith of the Mormon Church of Latter Day Saints, left here this morning for Los Angeles, where he will meet a number of the Mormon churchmen.

He delivered a lecture to 300 Mexican Mormon refugees last night in which he compared conditions in Mexico to those of Illinois, Missouri and Ohio when his mother and father were driven out of these States because they were Mormons.

The head of the Mormon church is now on a tour of the South and West and is accompanied by his apostles, by Joseph Smith, Jr., and a large number of the high church dignitaries.

President Smith expects to stay in Los Angeles over Sunday and will deliver an address while there. He announced while he was here that the claims of the Mormons in Mexico had been filed with the State Department at Washington.

BOOSTS FOR CARRANZA.

Obregon Declares His Confidence in Success of Faction Headed by First Chief and Himself.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Rafael Zubaran, Carranza agent here, made public tonight a telegram from Gen. Alvaro Obregon, dated yesterday at Vera Cruz, declaring his confidence in the success of the Carranza faction. The message said:

"You can feel assured that we have honest men in sufficient number to overpower the reactionary movement headed by Villa. We look upon the present struggle as a necessary evil, which will afford us a splendid opportunity to set definitely in relief those who like ourselves are fighting for principle and those whose only inspiration is selfish ambition.

"The northeastern army corps under my command is well equipped and disciplined and its ranks are swelling each day. From among the students alone 400 have sought to enlist. Public opinion is with us, just the same as when we fought against Huerta; it can not be easily deceived.

"Regarding the union of Villa, Zapata and Angeles, you may remain at ease. The bad faith of each of these men will never permit their union."

It became known tonight that Gen. Orozco, who declared a new revolution against Carranza, upon the downfall of Huerta, passed through Washington several days ago on his way to New York. Orozco is understood to be heading for Canada to join his wife.

ROCKHILL TAKEN ILL.

Former United States Ambassador to Turkey Conveyed to Sanatorium at Honolulu from Aboard Steamer.

[BY PACIFIC CABLE.]

HONOLULU, Dec. 4.—William W. Rockhill, former United States Ambassador to Turkey, who was traveling to Peking to become an adviser to President Yuan Shi Kai of the Chinese Republic, was compelled to leave the liner Chiyo Maru here on account of illness.

On the voyage from San Francisco, from which the Chiyo Maru sailed for the Orient, November 28, Mr. Rockhill was taken with a severe cold. He was carried from the dock to a sanatorium in an ambulance.

In 1900 Mr. Rockhill was a United States commissioner to China and was prominent in the settlement of the Boxer troubles. In the early '90's he was Assistant Secretary of State, and for a quarter-century has been identified with important diplomatic affairs. He is 60 years old.

THE CITY
AND ENVIRONS.

EVENTS BRIEFLY TOLD.

Welfare Workers.

A meeting of the Lark Ellen Welfare League will be held at the Alexandria Hotel at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon, with Ellen Beach Yaw, the founder of the league, in the chair.

Alleged Impersonator.

H. A. Sivert, 61 years old, No. 936 Santee street, was arrested yesterday by Patrolman Allen and charged with impersonating a government officer. Sivert is alleged to have sold pamphlets purporting to show how to detect counterfeit coins.

Grand Army Election.

The comrades of Bartlett-Logan Post, G.A.R., invite their friends to go up to Patriotic Hall and witness the bayonet charge in the big fight attending the election of officers. The battle is staged for this evening and they expect a hot time.

Keppel to Address Teachers.

The teachers in the city schools who have started a campaign in opposition to the reappointment of Mark Keppel as County Superintendent yesterday secured permission to hold a meeting in the Polytechnic High School auditorium on Monday afternoon at 4 o'clock to give him an opportunity to be heard on school administration.

Hundred Thousand-dollar Loss?

One watch and two suits of clothes, all worth $3, and a life insurance policy of $5000, all exempt under the law, were the only assets returned in a petition in bankruptcy filed yesterday by Fred W. Marshall, Los Angeles real estate operator. The debts of the petitioner are scheduled at $106,850.15, all unsecured. The largest individual creditor is R. J. Hood, assignee of the First National Bank, amounting to $83,015.

City Jail Advisory Board.

The Chief of Police yesterday appointed an advisory board for inspection of the City Jail. This board, composed of seven ministers, will have free access to the place for the purpose of inspection and will advise with the Chief regarding methods of handling prisoners. Those named are Rev. Baker P. Lee, Rev. O. J. Nave, Dr. William Horace Day, Dr. Charles Edward Locke, Father E. H. Brady, Rabbi S. Hecht and Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher.

Postpone Conference.

At the request of a number of the delegates to the proposed conference in Washington on Imperial Valley flood-control, Secretary of the Interior Lane consented yesterday to a postponement of the meeting from Wednesday until the 16th inst. Unless something unforeseen happens, the delegates will leave for Washington Friday. Notice of the appointment of President W. O. Hamilton, Attorney M. W. Conkling and Leroy Holt to represent the Imperial Irrigation District at the conference was received yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce.

Hollanders to Dance.

In commemoration of St. Nicholas Day, the Holland Society will give an entertainment and dance to members and friends, Wednesday evening at Symphony Hall. Among numbers on the programme will be a sketch given in the Dutch language and some old folk songs. Agatha Decker, a girl of 12 years, will perform the United States navy dance in sailor's uniform. Dancing will follow the programme. H. D. Canne, president of the society, will lead the grand march with the Baroness Jonkvrouw Alberta van Deijeu Moncour, who arrived recently from Holland. L. van Gelder and J. Maartense have charge of entertainment and P. D. van Citters will be floor manager.

LARGE MINING DEAL.

Property of Boss Gold Company Changes Hands—Famous for Recent Platinum Strike.

A deal for the Boss Gold Mining Company properties in the Yellow Pine district, Nevada, forecast in The Times recently, has been closed. These are the mines which recently came into the limelight on account of a remarkable platinum strike. A payment of $50,000, the first, was made to clinch the deal yesterday.

W. C. Price, mining man and capitalist, Los Angeles; G. W. Peltier, banker of Sacramento, and Messrs. Herbert Fleischhacker, Washington Dodge, C. F. Hunt, Mark Gestile, bankers of San Francisco, and Elmer Cox, one of the Federal reserve bank directors for this section, have taken over the option held on the property by Senator Boul of Nevada, and W. E. SoRelle and J. H. Ghiselin, who will be associated with them. Mr. Ghiselin and other mining engineers made the examination of the property.

Some surprisingly large values have been secured from the mine. At first its platinum assets were not recognized, and consequently thousands of dollars in ore have been thrown on the dump in the past few months.

Hesitancy?

OPPORTUNITY IS CALIFORNIA'S.

LUBIN FURTHER EXPLAINS HIS MARKETING COMMISSION.

Noted Agriculturist and Student of Economics Says German Plan of National Organization for Farm Owners is Much Needed Here. Asks Women's Aid.

David Lubin, American delegate to the International Institute of Agriculture at Rome, Thursday flung down the ultimatum that if California does not avail herself of the opportunity to make history in championing his movement for creating a national marketing commission he will be forced to respond to invitations from other States profoundly interested in the issue.

Mr. Lubin expressed forcibly to a delegation of citrus fruit growers and shippers who called on him at the Alexandria Thursday as marveling that there is not more spontaneous and enthusiastic support of his plan for bringing about the appointment of a national marketing commission similar to the German Landwirtschaftsrat.

Because the committee in charge of the programme of the Realty Board luncheon was unable to allow Mr. Lubin ample time in which to give a comprehensive exposition of the proposed national marketing commission, he did not speak as scheduled, but it was agreed that his address be postponed until a more suitable time.

Late in the afternoon representatives from practically all the women's clubs in the city called on Mr. Lubin and proffered their aid in the fight to effect the passing of the resolution which is at present pending in the House of Representatives.

To the women who crowded Mr. Lubin's sitting-room, he said: "My reason for coming all the way from Rome to California with this message and this mission for this Golden State to hear and to perform is simply because I myself am a Californian. Seven years of observation of the German Landwirtschaftsrat convinced me that this wonderfully efficient agricultural commission is responsible for the strength and conservatism of the German empire.

"I believe that the women of California in keeping with their splendid progressive spirit and energy will prove to be one of the strongest if not the strongest factor in this State's adoption and support of the national marketing commission. I am going to place the work in their hands; I have given them the inspiration, and now it remains for them to create a great epoch in the history of the United States. Soon I must return to Rome as matters of vast importance in an international way are constantly being discussed by the delegates to our institute from fifty-five nations of the world. A communication from Rome which I received today advised me advised me that at the regular monthly session of the institute the delegates from all the belligerent powers of Europe were present as usual and peacefully discussed the subjects of agriculture and commerce."

Enthusiastic appreciation of Mr. Lubin's mission to the United States was expressed by all the women who heard his informal address. He was invited to further explain the national marketing commission at the meeting of the Women's City Club, in Blanchard Hall next Monday, at 12:45 p.m. At this meeting plans are to be formulated by the club women for action toward bringing pressure to bear on Washington for the passing of Mr. Lubin's pending resolution.

TELLING ABOUT TAX.

Collector Carter is very busy giving information about the workings of the emergency revenue tax. Last night he addressed the Credit Men's Association. Next Wednesday noon he will speak to the Traffic Men's Association at the Hotel Hayward. That night he will talk to an assemblage of business men at the Hollenbeck and Thursday night he will deliver an address to the Bankers' Association in Long Beach.

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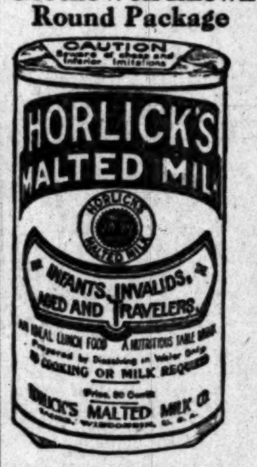

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THE WEATHER.
[Official Report.]

LOCAL OFFICE, U. S. WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, Dec. 4.—[Reported by Ford A. Carpenter, Local Forecaster.] At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer registered 29.98; at 5 p.m., 30.00. Thermometer for the corresponding hours showed 53 deg. and 56 deg. Relative humidity, 5 a.m., 87 per cent.; 5 p.m., 71 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, velocity 5 miles; 5 p.m., southwest, velocity 6 miles. Highest temperature, 61 deg.; lowest, 51 deg. Rainfall for season, 1.32 inches; last twenty-four hours, .04 of an inch. Barometer reduced to sea level.

WEATHER CONDITIONS.—Fair weather with moderate temperatures still prevails over the greater portion of the country east of the Rocky Mountains, though precipitation has occurred in the Central and Lower Mississippi and the Ohio valleys, attending the northeasterly movement of the depression noted Thursday over the Gulf of Mexico. Rain fell heavily at Knoxville, Tenn., 1.90 inches being reported Friday morning. Weather conditions continue unsettled over the Pacific Slope generally, though precipitation is confined to the Coast States and to Idaho and Nevada. The Northwest disturbance has remained practically stationary during the past twenty-four hours, and during that period has given rain in varying, but mostly small, amounts from Washington to the Mexican line. The conditions are favorable for a continuation in Los Angeles and vicinity of the unsettled weather now prevailing, for another thirty-six-hour period, with rain at intervals.

LOCAL FORECAST.

For Los Angeles and vicinity: Rain Saturday; winds mostly easterly.

For California south of the Tehachepi: Rain Saturday.

STATE FORECAST.

SAN FRANCISCO, Dec. 4.—Weather forecast: San Francisco and vicinity, Sacramento, Santa Clara and San Joaquin valleys: Rain Saturday; fresh southerly wind.

California south of the Tehachepi: Unsettled weather, probably rain, Saturday; light southwest wind.

ARIZONA FORECAST.

WASHINGTON, Dec. 4.—Forecast for Arizona: Local rains Saturday; Sunday, probably fair.

GOATS FEDERAL SERVANTS.

Will Keep Forest Fire Breaks Made by Movie Companies Nibbled Clean Without Cost.

The national forest reserve officials are playing in more good luck. The local Supervisor some time ago arranged with a motion-picture concern to burn up the waste brush whenever a scenario should demand a big fire scene, and yesterday a deal was effected with W. H. Glosbrenner of Silver City, N. M., for pasturing a large herd of goats on the fire breaks in San Bernardino county. Mr. Glosbrenner is now in that State gathering up the animals for immediate shipment here. The contract provides for the delivery of the animals on or before January 1. By this method the government is rid of the job and expense of keeping the fire-breaks clear and the owner of the goats has food for the animals.

If Mr. Glosbrenner does not appear with his goats by the opening of the new year, C. P. Brinkerhoff, who has 30,000 goats on Guadalupe Island, will be allowed to pasture them on the fire-breaks.

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VITAL RECORD.

MARRIAGE LICENSES.

The following marriage licenses were issued yesterday. Name and age given.

BARBIER—WESTON. Henry B. Barbier, [illegible] J. Weston, 20.
CILWICK—ROMIK. Tony Cilwick, 21; [illegible] 19.
HOCHSTEIN — GOLDBERG. Elmer [illegible] Mary Goldberg, 21.
LEVY—FERBER. Albert Levy, 26; [illegible] 24.
PHILLIPS—CURRIES. Arthur D. Phillips, [illegible] Curries, 20.
RAYMOND—NORRIS. Alfred B. Raymond, [illegible] Norris, 23.

BIRTHS.

Names, sex, place and date of birth.

ALDRICH. Mr. and Mrs. William, [illegible] San Julian street, July 29.
ANTONEZ. Mr. and Mrs. Mike, [illegible] street, November 27.
BEYER. Mr. and Mrs. John G., [illegible] Maple avenue, November 6.
BIEBER. Mr. and Mrs. Arthur, [illegible] East Thirty-fourth street, November [illegible]
FRANZKE. Mr. and Mrs. William E., [illegible] Norwood street, November 17.
HART. Mr. and Mrs. Frusten M., [illegible] Hospital, December 3.
JACKSON. Mr. and Mrs. Harry O., [illegible] Van Ness avenue, November 24.
MILLER. Mr. and Mrs. John W., [illegible] Holmes avenue, November 30.
MORGAN. Mr. and Mrs. Pat, County Hospital, [illegible] cember 2.
MULLINEAUX. Mr. and Mrs. Richard E., [illegible] Sisters' Hospital, December 3.

DIVORCE SUITS FILED.

DE WITT. Mary O. against William R.
DRAKE. Willie G. against Ollie.
DRAWBAUGH. Abbie against Sidney.
GRENNEN. Benjamin against Sarah.
MAPU. Sarah against Adolph.
PALMER. Minnie C. against Charles [illegible]
STROUP. Mary L. against John W.

DIVORCE DECREES GRANTED.

COMPTON. Sylvia from John.
ITODA. Tananeko from H.
McDOUGLE. Lela B. from S. R.

OFFICIAL DEATH LIST.

Name and place of death—

BAUER, Charles F., Jr. Los Angeles [illegible]
GRIFFITH, Constance. Los Angeles [illegible]
HUBBARD, John. Los Angeles [illegible]
LECHSAM, Bertha. Los Angeles [illegible]
LEWIS, Edward. Los Angeles [illegible]
SCHENCK, Charles. Los Angeles [illegible]

DEATHS.

With Funeral Announcements.

ANDERSON. December 3, 1914, [illegible] Curtis B. Anderson, aged 34 years. Funeral at the chapel of [illegible] Figueroa, Saturday, 2:30 p.m.

ASHTON. December 3, John Ashton. Funeral Saturday at 2 p.m. [illegible] No. 867 East Fifty-second street. [illegible] funeral director.

COBLER. December 2, 1914, [illegible] Funeral at the chapel of [illegible] Figueroa, Saturday at 1 p.m.

FUETZ. At Alhambra, December 3, 1914, [illegible] Fuetz, aged 54 years, native of Indiana. Funeral from parlors of Turner, [illegible] Turner, Main and Chapel streets, [illegible] urday at 2:30 p.m. Interment [illegible] Cemetery.

HANDLEY. December 4, 1914, Mrs. [illegible] ley, aged 28 years, beloved wife of [illegible] ley. Remains at parlors of W. A. [illegible] ment, Hydro, Okla.

KROEGER. December 4, John Kroeger, [illegible] years. He is survived by a widow, [illegible] Martin, Gus, Fred, John and William [illegible] and three daughters, Mrs. J. M. [illegible] Charles Hicks and Mrs. William [illegible] Funeral 10 a.m. Monday from his [illegible] dence, No. 5511 South Main street. [illegible] Inglewood Park Cemetery. (Hooper [illegible] Neb., papers please copy.)

McCULLOCH. At No. 367 South [illegible] Louise McCulloch, aged 51 years. Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] No. 810 South Flower street, Monday, [illegible] 7, at 11 a.m.

MITCHELL. At No. 2900 South Olive [illegible] ber 30, Christine Mitchell, aged 41 [illegible] Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] No. 810 South Flower street, Saturday, [illegible] 5, at 2 p.m.

MORGAN. Suddenly, in this city, December [illegible] Morgan of No. 2620 La Salle avenue. Funeral announcement later.

NETTLETON. At Venice, December [illegible] son Nettleton, wife of George [illegible] mother of Faye Nettleton, daughter of [illegible] A. Thomas, sister of Miss Ella J. [illegible] Funeral services Saturday, 10:30 [illegible] ber 5, from parlors of Bresee Brothers [illegible] Third street, Santa Monica. Interment [illegible] Cemetery, 11:30 a.m.

PEAKE. At No. 964 Menlo, Lizzie L. [illegible] Funeral service will be held at [illegible] Bresee Brothers Saturday at 3:30 [illegible]

ROBERTS. At No. 2415 South Western [illegible] cember 4, 1914, Fannie Roberts, [illegible] Remains at Bresee Brothers, [illegible] ros. Funeral notice later.

SHERFY. Los Angeles, December 4, [illegible] Sherfy, beloved mother of Mrs. [illegible] lington of Chicago, Mrs. Henry C. [illegible] rion L. and Edith E. Sherfy, and [illegible] N. T. Curth of Chicago. Services at Peck & Chase Co.'s [illegible] 1213 South Figueroa, Monday. [illegible] please copy.)

TERRILL. In this city, Mae Prentiss [illegible] wife of Charles H. Terrill, sister of [illegible] ace Mallows and Roy C. Prentiss. Remains at chapel of E. E. [illegible] Co. Funeral notice later.

TRAFFORD. At Artesia, Cal., December [illegible] E. Trafford, aged 43 years. Funeral from the chapel of [illegible] No. 810 South Flower street, Saturday, [illegible] 5, at 10:30 a.m.

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Dirk, Without a Handle, [illegible] Hidden in Man's Body—[illegible] in Fight.

When surgeons at the [illegible] Hospital opened a wound [illegible] Friday by Pete Gribovoc in [illegible] bing affair at No. 418 Ord street [illegible] found a nine-inch dirk buried [illegible] man's body and protruding [illegible] back. The handle of the knife [illegible] been removed in an effort [illegible] draw the weapon.

Mr. Gribovoc is 22 years [illegible] lives at No. 410 Ord street. [illegible] dition is critical, and the police [illegible] searching for Lujulp Jelich, [illegible] said to have done the stabbing [illegible] a dispute over a card game.

LOSEKAMP WILL CONTEST.

Resident of Los Angeles and Brother Seek Estate of [illegible] Merchant of Montana.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE

BILLINGS (Mont.) Dec. 4.—[illegible] W. Losekamp of Los Angeles [illegible] Frank D. Losekamp of [illegible] brothers, have begun a contest [illegible] will of John D. Losekamp, [illegible] Montana's pioneer merchants, [illegible] ing an estate inventoried at [illegible] $350,000.

The Losekamp brothers allege [illegible] will was executed under the [illegible] influence of Mrs. Florence [illegible] their sister, with whom John D. [illegible] kamp had made his home [illegible] few years of his life. Former [illegible] torney-General James Donovan [illegible] Montana, now a resident of [illegible] Angeles, has arrived in Billings [illegible] conduct the contest.

The suit will affect the Polytechnic Institute here, a beneficiary [illegible] the Losekamp will to the [illegible] $100,000. The additional claim [illegible] up by the contestants that [illegible] never was properly admitted [illegible] bate.

BENEFIT CONCERT.

Jubilee Singers Will Entertain [illegible] the Benefit of Trinity [illegible] Church Furnishing Fund.

An entertainment will be [illegible] Trinity Auditorium on Friday [illegible] December 18, for the benefit [illegible] furnishing fund of Trinity [illegible] Church. The programme will [illegible] en by a famous negro [illegible] Hann's Jubilee Singers, claimed [illegible] the finest negro musical [illegible] in the world, and will include [illegible] thing from old plantation [illegible] to grand opera, seasoned with [illegible] humor. It is one of a [illegible] tertainments to be given for [illegible] object during the winter, [illegible] which will be sold at popular [illegible] All lovers of choice plantation [illegible] are urged to attend this [illegible] cert.

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Contretemps.

RECTOR'S SON WHIPPED; TUTORS FACE CHARGES.

Rev. Baker P. Lee Swears to Warrants for Harvard Schoolmasters.

Large Paddle Used for Alleged Infraction of Rules and Head of Christ Church Fears Boy May be Seriously Injured—Principal Says Youth's Conduct Merited Punishment—Two Sides to Story.

"EDUCATION by physical induction rather than through the brain and heart," declared Rev. Baker P. Lee, rector of Christ church, "is absolutely wrong." He so stated yesterday after he had sworn to complaints charging battery against Rev. Robert B. Gooden, head master, and two assistants, Capt. H. C. Downing and Master Jesse E. Michener, of the Harvard Military School, for inflicting a beating with a large wooden paddle on his son, Baker P. Lee, Jr. They were arrested and released under $100 bail each. The former is to appear in Judge White's court Monday at 4:30 p.m., and the others in the same court this morning at 10 o'clock.

According to the allegation of Mr. Lee, his son was taken from the classroom to a wood shed and there chastised and possibly dangerously injured for an infraction of the rules. According to the minister's son, Capt. Downing, who administered the paddling, declared that he would have none of his explanations and that he intended to "beat the pulp out" of the youth, who is 17 years of age.

"I have always instilled in the mind of the boy to behave like a real soldier. When the chastisement was ordered, he bent over and received it without remonstrance, until it inflicted real injury, when he cried out in torture," said Mr. Lee. "For this he was given an extra beating, which has resulted in his being confined to bed under the care of Dr. E. E. Sherrard. The physician tells me that his spine and kidneys may have suffered injury, and he is black and blue where the instrument of torture was applied."

After suffering this punishment, the youth called up his mother, who at once ordered his departure from the school and brought him home to No. 811 Budlong avenue. "It was not only the physical chastisement, but the indignity and humiliation which will serve to break the spirit of any boy, that I so much object to," said Mr. Lee, as he inspected the paddle which had been used.

THE PADDLE.

This instrument weighs a pound and five ounces, consists of three light boards nailed together, which are 1½ inches thick, 5½ inches wide and 10½ inches long in the finished product. "We adopted the paddle because we thought it the best and least injurious instrument for punishment of this kind," said Rev. Gooden, master of the school. "It is not nearly as painful as the strap or the whip and is only used on cases that are considered incorrigible.

"That Mr. Lee, a fellow-clergyman, a member of the same church and above all things a Christian, should bring such a matter into police courts is almost unbelievable and I am sincerely sorry," said Mr. Gooden last night. "His son has been a serious problem since his admission to the school about two months ago. We always realize that a boy has an excess of animal spirits which must be worked off in various ways and all of the professors and teachers are continually making allowances for these things.

"Baker P. Lee, Jr., was frequently warned of his shortcomings and his mischievous and injurious pranks were condoned from time to time. On the occasion which called for his final physical punishment, he had been unruly in class and had written unprintable matter on his pad. Prof. Harkness, a Yale graduate and excellent teacher, reproved this action, when Lee endeavored to strike him. This called for severe measures.

SAYS BOY SWORE.

"Capt. Downing was called in and with Master Michener and myself accompanied Lee to the woodshed, where, after the usual manner, the boy was required to bend over. His punishment was to have been six blows, but while these were being given, he swore and I ordered an additional one. After the boy had been chastised he immediately demanded

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Principals in Harvard School Trouble.

The father, the teacher, the boy.

Mr. Lee, rector of Christ Episcopal Church, swore to a warrant for the arrest of Mr. Gooden, head master of the Harvard Military School, because Baker P. Lee, Jr., was chastised—with possibly more than temporary hurts—by his teachers. The paddle shown in Mr. Lee's hand is that used in the punishment. It weighs one pound and five ounces.

What You Want to Know.

HERE ARE THE FACTS ABOUT THAT NEW TAX.

WHAT is this new Federal "war tax," who has to pay it; what do they have to pay on and how much; how do they pay; who do they pay it to; where do they get the stamps; how much do they cost; what do they do with them after they get them, etc., etc., etc.?

The attaches of the office of Internal Revenue Collector Carter have answered these questions unnumbered thousands of times, but still fresh thousands come and ask them all over again. And they ask The Times Information Bureau the same thing. With the object of helping these folks out, The Times has compiled the following information:

The tax is one created to help fill up the holes in the Federal revenues left by the European war and the tariff revision. It applies to various alcoholic liquors, tobaccos, proprietary articles, certain persons, institutions and documents. In the case of articles and documents stamps of the right denomination are to be purchased at the office of Collector Carter, in the Federal building, and affixed as hereinafter described:

There are various sets of stamps used, the denominations for wines and cordials being for ¼ cent, ½ cent, 1 cent, 1½ cents, 2 cents, 3 cents, 4 cents, 5 cents, 6 cents, 8 cents, 10 cents, 20 cents, 24 cents, 40 cents and $2.

For proprietary articles the denominations are as follows: One-eighth cent, ¼ cent, ⅜ cent, ⅝ cent, 1¼ cents, 1⅞ cents, 2½ cents, 3⅛ cents, 3¾ cents, 4 cents, 4⅜ cents, 5 cents, 6 cents, 8 cents and 10 cents.

The documentary stamps are as follows, in denominations: One-half cent, 1 cent, 2 cents, 3 cents, 4 cents, 5 cents, 10 cents, 25 cents, 40 cents, 50 cents, $1, $2, $3, $5, $10, $30, $50 and $100.

In affixing stamps on proprietary packages they should be placed so that they will be destroyed when the package is opened. Stamps on wines and documents must be canceled, and the initials of the party, with the date of such cancellation written on the stamps. Where the tax is in excess of $10, three sharp parallel lines must be drawn through the stamps so as to perforate and destroy them.

Following is a synopsis of the law, giving the article and tax assessed:

Agreements of sale of merchandise on exchanges, each $100—1 cent.

Banks (except savings banks having no capital stock and postal sav-

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Surprise.

SIX WELL-PAID JOBS SLIPPING.

Constitution Clashes with County Charter.

Obscure Section Apparently to Oust Officers.

Jolted to Find Nailed-down Salaries Threatened.

Six high county officers who imagined their large-salaried jobs were nailed down for life, with civil service copper-riveted bolts, received a staggering jolt yesterday when section 9, article XI, of the State Constitution was read to them. If this section, the shortest in the Constitution, is constitutional, County Recorder Logan, Tax Collector Welch, Clerk Lelande, Auditor Lewis, Treasurer Hunt and Superintendent of Schools Keppel may be compelled to join the army of the unemployed after January 1. As section 9, article XI was put into the Constitution by the statesmen who framed the instrument in 1879, and as it is still there, it is not likely the Supreme Court will declare it unconstitutional.

It seems that under the civil service provisions of the county charter all persons in the county service holding positions in the classified service, whether holding by election or appointment, and who shall have been in such service for the six months next preceding, shall hold their positions unless discharged or transferred, in accordance with civil service rules of the charter.

THIS IS DIFFERENT.

This sounds mighty fine for the officials, but listen to section 9, article XI:

"The compensation of any county officer shall not be increased after his election or during his term of office, nor shall the term of any such officer be extended beyond the period for which he was elected or appointed."

It doesn't require any great legal mind to see that there is a deadly conflict between the charter and the Constitution and as our jurists are the sworn guardians of that sacred and justice-giving instrument—the Constitution—it is almost a certainty that the six county officers will either be reappointed at the expiration of their terms of office, January 1, or civil service examinations held to fill their respective berths.

The six officers in question were elected November 5, 1911, for four-year terms. The salaries of the officers were increased by the freeholders, who drafted our "home-rule" charter, the only one of its kind extant. Many of its provisions have been declared unconstitutional and apparently more are to follow.

It was reported yesterday that certain powerful political manipulators are quietly scheming to oust at least three of the present officers. County Clerk Lelande and County Auditor Lewis, who were recently severely criticised by the grand jury in its final report, may have to walk the carpet. At least two Supervisors stand ready to wield the ax on two officers. It is not likely, however, that any officer will be ousted without a hard legal battle.

Even if the Supervisors decide not to reappoint any of the incumbents, these incumbents will have the right to take civil service examinations for their positions.

Secretary Doty of the Civil Service Commission said the commission holds that the charter permits the continuance of all county officers in office without examination. He said the commission has not expressed an opinion whether it will be necessary for the Supervisors to go through the formality of reappointing the incumbents. "It is a legal question," said Mr. Doty.

"We should worry," chorused the six officers when asked to give their opinions of section 9, article XI.

But when last seen each county officer in question was wearing a troubled look, apparently figuring out how section 9, article XI ever got into the blamed old Constitution.

EDITORS COMING BY THE HUNDREDS.

LOS ANGELES GETS IMPORTANT CONVENTION LOST BY SAN FRANCISCO.

The National Editorial Association, comprising editors of newspapers from Maine to California, will visit Los Angeles during the last week of June, 1915, officials of that organization having just decided on this city as the convention place at the time designated.

San Francisco was originally designated, but on account of the crowded conditions of that city by virtue of conflicting dates with another large convention, Los Angeles was chosen in preference. Visits to San Francisco and San Diego will be a part of the convention proceedings in order that the editors may dilate fully upon the wonders of the expositions upon their return home.

According to the preliminary estimate of George Schlosser of Sioux Falls, S. D., secretary of the organization, at least 500 editors will make the trip to the Coast. This number may increase very largely by the date of the convention, there being a general inclination among newspaper men to join in the excursion at one time and thereby secure the many concessions which have been promised them.

The officers of the National Editorial Association are George E. Hosmer of Denver, president; Lee J. Rountree of Georgetown, Tex., vice-president; W. R. Hodges of Sleepy Eye, Minn., treasurer; T. W. Perkins of McKinney, Tex., H. C. Hotaling of Mapleton, Minn., John C. Oswald of New York City, Frank Roderus of Chicago, W. M. Glenn of Tribune, Kan., and Homer Harwood of Warren, Mich., members of the Executive Committee. The Southern California Editorial Association, which at this time is on a visit to the Grand Canyon, will act as host to the visitors when they reach here.

RESPONSIBILITY INCONSEQUENTIAL.

MANY "JITNEY" BUS DRIVERS, NOT OWNING THEIR CARS DO AS THEY WILL.

The police started an investigation yesterday of a list of accidents in which Lizak Oganesoff, a "jitney" bus driver of No. 151 South Gless street, was the chief actor. Mr. Oganesoff was driving his bus near the First-street viaduct about midnight, Thursday, when he lost control of his machine. The bus turned turtle, throwing three passengers to the pavement. Mr. Oganesoff received severe bruises and concussion of the brain, but the passengers escaped serious injury.

Investigation yesterday disclosed that Mr. Oganesoff has been twice arrested for traffic violations and once for failure to report an accident in which his machine ran over a woman. While the investigation was under way, C. H. Converse, also a "jitney" bus driver, of No. 4115 Eastern avenue, appeared to complain that Mr. Oganesoff crashed into his bus while the machine was standing at Seventh and San Pedro streets.

When Mr. Oganesoff was taken to the Boyle Heights Police Station November 9 for failure to report an accident, it was found that he could only speak or read a few words in English and knew little or nothing about traffic regulations. He does not own the "jitney" bus in the eyes of the police, who say that he obtained it under what they call a "lease purchase," pasing a small amount down on a so-called purchase. This, say the police, tends to irresponsibility, as the driver in such a case is not a real owner. The police frown on such methods of obtaining a car and are seeking some means of bringing the drivers under a more rigid examination.

At Seventh and San Pedro streets yesterday a "jitney" bus driver ran his car over the curb and the police received a report that the ruined machine was blocking the sidewalk.

Early yesterday R. Taylor, a "jitney" bus driver, ran his automobile into a street car at Fifth street and Broadway. No one was injured, though the machine was demolished.

Mr. Oganesoff is recovering from his injuries. The passengers in his car were Mr. and Mrs. G. W. Chamberlain of No. 3720 Michigan street and Sam Mattox of No. 112 South Gage street.

OPPOSES RESERVOIR.

The Board of Public Service Commissioners yesterday took action to oppose an application for reservoir rights on Rock Creek, filed with the forest service by F. A. Campbell. The latter desires to store water for irrigation purposes. The board opposes the application on the ground that it cuts down the flow of the Owens River the Rock Creek stream being a tributary. Special Attorney Matthews was instructed to handle the case. The Rock Creek water is now used for irrigation during the summer.

Starter.

CITY WILL LAY OWN STREETS.

Ordinance Being Prepared for Council Action.

Efficiency Man Converts the Board of Works.

Burks and Handley Engage in Lively Debate.

The old order of things clashes with a train of advanced thought in municipal management yesterday morning when the Board of Public Works agreed to support an ordinance now being drafted by the Efficiency Commission and the City Attorney empowering the city to make its own public improvements.

The fact that this ordinance is now under way, and that the power of the Council to pass and enforce it has been upheld by the Supreme Court was broken gently to the Board of Public Works yesterday by Efficiency Director Burks, who returned before that body for further catechism concerning his plan to save $1,120,000 a year in public improvements.

"The discount on improvement bonds is as much as 20 per cent.," said Mr. Burks. "There ought to be a change in the law that will stop that loss. We have got to follow the present procedure unless the Council will give us an ordinance that will replace the Vrooman act in the city. Is there any objection to the Board of Public Works asking the Council to pass such an ordinance?"

"There is none that I can see," said President Handley.

"Has there been a reason during the last ten years why the board could not have asked such an ordinance of the Council?"

"I never knew that the city had such authority until you showed yesterday in the San Francisco case that the Supreme Court has reversed itself and that the Bay City is now doing its own improvement work under its own laws."

The effect of the Supreme Court's ruling is that any city which has general authority in its charter to do paving work may do so.

"Well, we are now preparing such an ordinance," said Mr. Burks.

"I am delighted to know it can be done," said President Handley.

CARRIED AS A TAX.

The general plan of the proposed ordinance provides that the cost of the improvement is carried as a tax against the property and is paid in ten annual installments. One of the

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Germans Frolic at Kirmess for Relief Benefit.

Pageantry and Folk Dancing Notable Features.

Teuton Landmarks Stand in Shrine Auditorium.

The loyalty of members of the local German colony to the fatherland, now in the distress of war, was forcefully demonstrated last night by their liberal patronage of the Christmas Kirmess, which opened in the afternoon at Shrine Auditorium, under the auspices of the German-Austrian-Hungarian Relief Society of Southern California. The historical pageant and other typical German features pleased a large crowd.

The success of the opening day induced the management to continue the festival tomorrow, one day longer than at first announced. A committee began at once to plan a number of new features for the closing day.

The following programme was given last night and will be repeated this afternoon and tonight:

At 8:15—Hungarian dance by Miss Norma Gould and her group of trained dancers, Misses Dorothy Lyndell, Bertha Wardell, Marjorie Capron and Messrs. Vosburg King, Channing Follette, Fred Leyman and Jack Ballentine.

At 8:30—Kirmess dance.

At 8:45—Chorus and dance of gypsies, Mmes. F. C. Besch, Bessie Chapin, Cohen, Davis, Wanda Gee, Elena Kohn, Mrs. Charles J. Lick, Sally Mason, Frances Maxon, Isabell Montieth, Nell McCune, Frieda Peycke, C. F. Post, J. Pattee, Ines Seiler and Mrs. Phil Zobelein.

At 9—Historical pageant.

At 9:30—Hungarian village. Music by Liszt and Brahms—Gertrude Cohen, Bessie Chapin, Lester Donahue, Adelaide Gosnell and Ida Selby.

The historical pageant, reproducing famous characters from German literature, legend and history, was the most elaborate event of the evening. Following were the principal characters and the names of the persons representing them:

Germania, Mrs. E. Kaskel; Brunhilde, Miss Viola Ellis; Lohengrin, Dr. W. E. Maybee; Tannhaeuser, Fred McPherson; Siegfried, Adolf Miller; Parsifal, Oscar Nissen; Mozart, Edgar M. Keller; Martin Luther, Paul Marron; Goethe, George Townsend Cole; Schiller, Joseph Swickard; Wagner, Ernst Seiler, and Bismarck, Ernst Pfeiffer.

Several of the famous old landmarks of Germany were faithfully reproduced. The noted barrel of old Heidelberg, around which centers the ancient legend of the dwarf who climbed inside and drank the beverage, was a prominent feature. Pretzels, doughnuts and other Teutonic pastry were sold at the Vienna Cafe. The Berlin gardens and the famous old Nuremberg tavern also appeared in realistic form.

Hungarian gypsies in bright costume sung and danced from booth to booth. An interesting vaudeville programme was given on the auditorium stage. The center space in the building was reserved for dancing. The folk dances of the countries represented formed an interesting feature.

FOIST INFERIOR SYSTEM ON CITY?

ENGINEER ATTACKS PLANS FOR NEW FIRE AND POLICE TELEGRAPH.

That "devious and subtle agencies" are "again" employed to trick the city into the proposed installation of costly and unnecessary equipment for a new fire alarm and police telegraph system is the charge made by N. Banks Cregier, engineer of the Kregier Signal Company, which has had a system in use in the University district for several years.

This charge is made in a communication to the Public Safety Committee of the City Council, delivered yesterday. Mr. Cregier says in part:

For years past the City of Los Angeles has engaged in the construction of public improvements of such magnitude that the very name of this city suggests to the world mind the ultimate in civic progress, yet has tolerated a condition of insecurity against fire which is as amazing as it is unnecessary. Except in the University district the lives and property of the citizens of this city have been for four years dependent for security on a system of fire alarm protection not only inadequate but entirely obsolete. The methods employed in unloading overpriced fire alarm appliances on the city are at this very moment on trial in the courts.

There is every evidence that devious and subtle agencies are again being employed to trick the city into a situation of additional installations of these costly appliances and an unnecessary construction cost of at least $200,000.

The object of this communication is to have the Public Safety Commission apprised of certain facts, and to protest against the recent "general specifications" submitted for the installation of fire and police telegraph systems for the city of Los Angeles, on plans and recommendations prepared by R. H. Manahan, City Electrician, and Lewis Degen, electrical engineer.

It is not conceivable that the Public Safety Commission, after mature deliberation, can be led into such a trap, this entirely without reflection upon John W. Snowden, chairman, Archie J. Eley, Chief of the Fire Department, and C. E. Sebastian, Chief of the Police Department, as lay members of this commission.

This statement is made after years of experience in observation of the sinuous methods employed in attempted throttling of competitors in this city, that it is the last recourse to a concentration of efforts to influence the city by a ruse to opening the way to foist additional exorbitantly-priced appliances on the city.

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"Chamberlain's Tablets are just fine for stomach trouble," writes Mrs. G. C. Dunn, Arnold, Pa. "I was bothered with this complaint for some time and frequently had bilious attacks. Chamberlain's Tablets afforded me great relief from the first, and since taking one bottle of them I feel like a different person."—[Advertisement.

Rector's Son Whipped.

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to call on his parents, something that not even the boys in the lower grades have ever asked, as a matter of pride in themselves.

"After he had talked to his mother, I called up and endeavored to explain, but, after a curt demand for the release of the youth, was cut off. I thought little more of the matter until four large and hulking plainclothes officers appeared at the school yesterday morning demanding an explanation. In the past, when I have called for a single officer, I have had a difficult matter getting him, but here were four of them on what I considered a trivial matter.

"The affair was thoroughly explained and they went away. When I heard that my fellow-clergyman had sworn to a warrant for my arrest, I was nonplussed. I have taken the matter up with Bishop Johnson and believe that a thrashing-out of the affair will redound to the credit of the school, as well as prove an entire vindication of the teachers as well as myself."

Mr. Gooden, a small and unassuming man, was heartbroken over the affair. He declared that it was not so much because of the notoriety attached to it, but because of what he called the un-Christian attitude assumed by his fellow-clergyman. As for the status of physical punishment at the Harvard school, he clearly outlined it. "We have never applied the paddle to any day scholar, save after consultation with his parents. It occasionally becomes absolutely necessary for corrective purposes unless we decide to expel the student.

"IN LOCO PARENTIS."

"In the case of young Lee, we felt that it would be a serious matter to send him away. It frequently has proven a bar for further admission to the larger schools of the country, and, considering this, we thought it far better to apply physical correction. Lee was a boarder at school and therefore we were acting 'in loco parentis,' as special parental guardians. He had been demerited on the campus, given extra guard duty and otherwise punished, all without result. This was the final endeavor on our part to secure obedience and, without a doubt, it would have succeeded if not interfered with. I don't think that the boy was seriously injured."

Mr. Lee took personal hold of the prosecution of the criminal charges against the teachers. He went to police headquarters and held conferences with the Chief and the City Prosecutor, who issued the complaints. The rector says that he will likewise make it a personal matter to see that full justice is done.

IN JAIL, HEIR SEEKS ESTATE.

MAN CHARGED WITH SLAYING BENEFACTRESS, HOWEVER, MUST FIGHT FOR IT.

The legal fight for the $12,000 estate of Mrs. Helen McCombs, who was fatally injured, April 24, last, started yesterday when Frank J. Nuttall, the heir, who is charged with her murder and is in the County Jail awaiting trial, filed a petition for the probate of the will, and Helen McCombs Fairchild, Mrs. McCombs' adopted daughter, who was disinherited, filed a petition opposing the probate and alleged fraud and undue influence on the part of Mr. Nuttall.

Mr. Nuttall was given the bulk of the estate. The only bequest was $500 to Mrs. J. D. Newcomb, a friend, of Argenta, Ark. Mrs. Fairchild alleges in her petition that her mother was not of sound mind. She was 63 years old at the time the will was executed, and being "affectionate, trusting and of a confiding nature," she was susceptible to flattery, blandishments and caresses.

She alleges that Mr. Nuttall made love to her mother, promising to marry her if she made her will in his favor. By reason of these promises, it is alleged that Mrs. McCombs disinherited her heirs.

Mr. Nuttall in his petition alleges that shortly after Mrs. McCombs went over the bank while riding in an auto with him and was killed, he was unjustly and without legal or sufficient cause arrested, charged with having murdered her. He declares his innocence. He is confined in the County Jail awaiting trial, next Wednesday, and he asserts his belief of acquittal when he will be able to act as executor of the will.

He states that because of his confinement in the County Jail he has not heretofore filed his petition for letters of administration. He further alleges on information and belief that relatives of Mrs. McCombs were instrumental and responsible for his arrest, charged with murder, in order to prevent him from acting as executor.

The court appointed, April 30, last, E. E. Taylor, special administrator of the estate, and Mr. Nuttall states that there is no immediate necessity of an administrator being appointed while Mr. Taylor has the estate in charge. Mr. Nuttall is only 28 years old. Mrs. Fairchild resides at No. 1242 Highland avenue. A sister, Mary Jahant, is a resident of Ft. McDonald.

GET OUT YOUR PENCILS.

A prize of $10 was offered yesterday by the Chamber of Commerce for the most suitable designs for a float for the Tournament of Roses parade New Year's Day. The subject is foreign trade and all sketches must be in by Thursday. The float is not to be over twenty-four feet long, six feet wide, and fifteen feet high.

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The Robinson Store will not be open any evenings during the Holiday Season—Shop Early!

Furs at Cost===

A Mid-Season Clearance Sale of Misses' and Children's Furs!

Misses' and Children's Furs—squirrel, blue fox, imitation ermine—have been reduced for this Mid-Season Clearance Sale to cost prices!

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Silk crepe de chine princess slips in pink, maize and blue have been reduced to close at half price —$12.50 formerly—reduced to .....$6.25!.....

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Give an order for Trefousse French Gloves—or a Merchandise Bond.

Broadway—and—Third

Will Do Own Paving.

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proposed charter amendments provides for two forms of bonds which are issued through the Council. The first is known as a district bond to be carried by the city as a charge against the district organized for special assessment work. The others are investment bonds which the city may issue on its own credit and buy up city investments of any kind. Then the property-owner pays his special assessment as it becomes due.

"The special assessment will continue for years," said Mr. Burks. "It is a balance wheel to keep down the pressure of requests for improvements that would arise if the cost were borne generally. The Broadway tunnel lowering should have been done by bond issue; the Exposition Park improvement should have been done out of the general fund. Our mistake has been that we carried on too many improvements by special assessment which were general improvements."

Director Burks and President Handley engaged in a lively debate over the six drastic recommendations the former made to the Board of Public Works with regard to street improvement work. The city officials who listened were somewhat surprised to find that Director Burks was not laughed out of the room, which was to have been the programme, according to City Hall gossip. It required some time for those who have fallen into the rut of tolerating the things that are to appreciate the one big fact that when a contractor has to pay 13 per cent. for three months for money with which to finance an improvement the people have to pay the cost of the financing. Eliminate this item of expense, then, and the improvement must necessarily be cheaper.

"PASSING THE BUCK."

The usual habit of "passing the buck" found expression at the meeting, when Councilman Bryant learned that by passing an ordinance the Council could go a long way toward reducing the cost of public improvements.

"Why didn't the City Attorney tell us?" asked the Boyle Heights statesman.

"The City Attorney has been at work for months on this ordinance, which naturally must be very technical and intricate," said Mr. Burks.

"You say the city can lower the rate of interest on the $8,000,000 outstanding bonds by 2 per cent," said Mr. Bryant. "Why, that isn't saving the city the $160,000 you claim it is. The people are liable for those bonds."

ALL THE SAME.

"You see," said Mr. Burks, with a wilting smile, "I don't differentiate between the 'people' and the 'city.' The city's interests are the people's interests. There is no difference. The city government should protect and help the people who pay the cost of keeping it moving."

Director Burks told the board, in answer to questions from Mr. Handley, that the city can do public work more cheaply than is done by private contract. It has been proved elsewhere, he said. He charged that the street cleaning now done by the city is at a loss. The work done on the harbor, under the direction of the Harbor Commission, was at less cost than the same kind of work done by private contractor, and the most notable example of this fact is found in the city's construction of its own aqueduct, he stated.

Mr. Handley said he doesn't believe President Whiffen of the Council meant what he said with regard to civil service being a detriment to city work.

"They couldn't have built the aqueduct at the same figure if they had had to put all the labor under civil service," he said.

"I believe they could," said Mr. Burks. "Proper organization and administration will always increase efficiency and decrease cost. If you can't fire a man because the Civil Service Commission stands in the way, I would regard it as a criticism of the man who tries the firing. The application of business principles always decreases cost and raises the compensation to employees."

Mr. Burks suggested that the commission and the municipal employment bureau co-operate, and make it possible to have laborers on hand whenever there is an emergency call for them.

The expert said that one large contracting firm in the city is carrying $750,000 worth of advances to finance city work at 7 per cent. He suggested that in order for the city to reduce the interest rate from 7 to 5 per cent. on the $8,000,000 improvement bonds now outstanding, it will be necessary to vote bonds so that the city may borrow on its own credit, thus saving 2 per cent. in interest.

"One of the most pertinent examples of inefficiency under our present system," said Director Burks, "is that after the city brought to our doors the aqueduct water at a cost of $25,000,000, there is now no distributing system, and the city is carrying a charge of $1,500,000 annually because no plans for distribution were made."

"It is a very complicated problem," said President Handley.

"It is a very simple one," replied Mr Burks. "If it had been worked out during the period of construction we would not have come to the point of completion without being ready for the water."

Mr. Burks charged that the reason there has been a failure so far has been because of a division of authority.

Mr. Handley and Mr. Burks engaged in a discussion over the manufacture of cement, which Mr. Burks claims can be done by the city at $1 a barrel. He quoted Mr. Mulholland as his authority for stating that it had been done.

"I say it can't be done," said Mr. Handley. "The city tried to do it but couldn't. We are not saying much about it because we want to sell the Monolith plant."

"Under the present organization of the city I don't think it can be done either," said Mr. Burks.

The Board of Public Works is preparing to answer the statement of the efficiency director.

BLASTING MOUNTAIN.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Dec. 4.—The Santa Fe Railroad is planning to blast out a whole mountain on the old right of way just east of Barstow, and a tunnel is now being bored fifty feet into the hill for the placing of several tons of dynamite which will be shot next week some time. The rock is to be used for building protection work along the Santa Fe's property on the Mojave River near Barstow. Many prominent officials and others will witness the huge blast.

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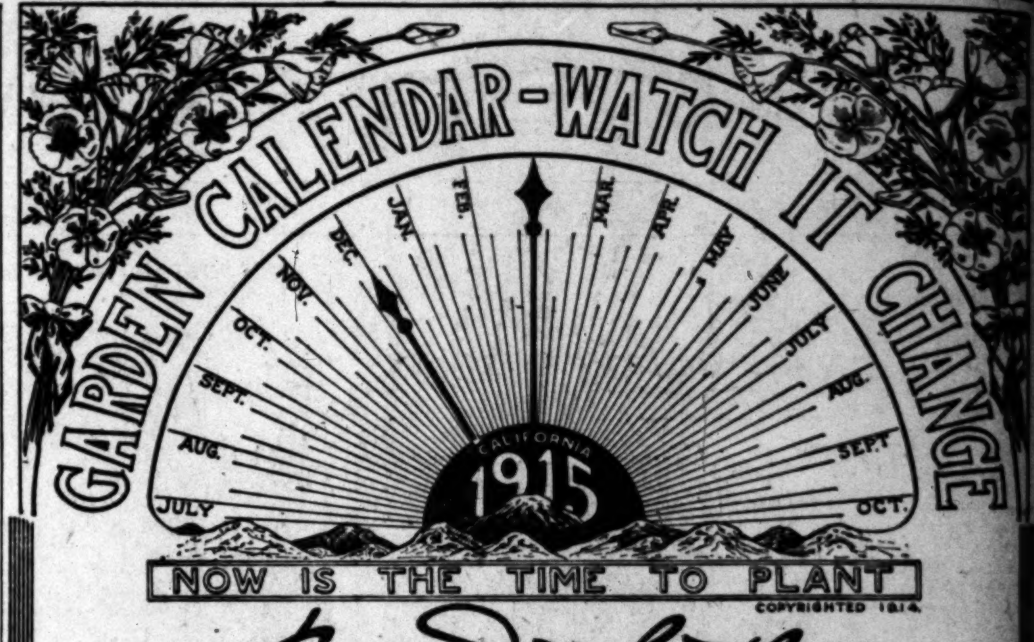

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LEON PAIN—Pink.

WHITE KILLARNEY—White.

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Mrs. Williams was a candidate for the nomination for Lieutenant-Governor at the August primaries, running as a Republican, and her popularity all over the State was attested by the fact that she received the highest vote cast for any Republican candidate for that office.

Mrs. Williams says the women of California will seek many important laws and amendments at the coming session of the Legislature and whenever it is necessary, she says, she will go to Sacramento and do all she can to assist in convincing the lawmakers.

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An indication of the comparatively excellent business conditions in this section of the country is found in the fact that the sales of the Owl Drug Company each month this year, according to a communication addressed to stockholders yesterday, have shown an increase over the corresponding month last year. The letter states that October sales, with the same number of stores in operation in 1914 as in 1913, show a 10 per cent. gain. After referring to the generally unsettled business conditions throughout the country the letter states that it is believed that conditions on the Pacific Coast are better than in any other section of the United States.

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PRESIDENT BLAISDELL TO TELL A COLLEGE STORY.

But Three Weeks Left to Complete Pomona's Great Fund and Secure a Gift from the East—Warren F. Day Memorial—Pomona and its President.

Dr. James A. Blaisdell, president of Pomona College, will occupy the pulpit of the First Congregational Church tomorrow morning and will tell the story of a great educational achievement. He is one of the eloquent preachers of this Coast, and well worth hearing.

About three years ago Dr. Blaisdell, then less than two years president of the college, took up the heroic task of raising $1,000,000 for the endowment of that institution by January 1, 1915. That he has practically completed the task must be regarded as one of the great achievements of a modern wizard of finance.

One of the movements inaugurated to swell the fund and at the same time to honor one of the staunchest and most influential friends of the college, was the launching of the $50,000 Warren F. Day memorial last spring, a little more than a year following his death, and the appointment of a strong committee to forward the movement. It is expected that this memorial fund will be complete tomorrow, and it is fitting that the story of the practical details of the great financial scheme should be first told from the pulpit which Dr. Day occupied for almost twenty years, throughout the formative history of the college.

One of the first steps of President Blaisdell was to urge a contribution to the $1,000,000 fund by the educational board of the Congregational Church. He secured the promise of $150,000. It had a string to it that to some men would have resembled a steel cable, but it looked like a rope of sand to this financier. The string is the proviso that the $150,000 will be paid only as the last sum necessary to complete $1,000,000. This left the college to raise $950,000, including a debt of $100,000 which they were required to liquidate, that the million might be clear of incumbrance. There is to be no solicitation of funds tomorrow, but the purpose of the service is to tell the story of the great enterprise and the necessity for its completion within the coming three weeks, in order to secure the $150,000 from the educational board.

Pomona College was founded as a Congregational institution, but in accordance with the non-sectarian spirit of the denomination, the college was soon made non-sectarian and independent of denominational control. Dr. William Horace Day, pastor of the First Congregational Church, succeeding his father, has also succeeded him as a trustee of the college. The first class was graduated in 1894. In 1910 it enrolled 337 students, gradually increasing until at present there are 500 on the roll.

President Blaisdell was born in Wisconsin in 1867, a son of James J. Blaisdell, professor of philosophy in Beloit College. The son graduated from the college in 1889 and from Hartford Theological Seminary in 1892, and was ordained to the ministry the same year. In 1893 he became professor of Biblical literature in Beloit College, from which he was called to the presidency of Pomona College in 1910.

OVER THE DIVIDE.

Funeral Services Held for Solicitor Who Died of Injuries Sustained in Motor Accident.

Funeral services over the remains of Charles F. Bauer, a solicitor for The Times, who died Monday as a result of injuries caused by an automobile-motorcycle accident, were conducted yesterday at the Overholtzer parlors. Interment was at Inglewood Cemetery, the burial service being the Masonic ritual. The services in the funeral parlors were conducted by Rev. Frederick Rogers of the Long Beach Christian Church.

Mr. Bauer was born in Springfield, O. At Akron he was assistant superintendent of the Prudential Life Insurance Company. Six years ago he engaged in newspaper work as business manager of a paper in Idaho. Later he was with the Portland Oregonian. He had been a resident of Los Angeles for the past three years. Mr. Bauer was one of the most popular of The Times solicitors.

Beside the widow, he leaves a father, Charles D. Bauer of Pueblo, Colo., and two brothers and four sisters living in the East.

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Brokers' notes or memorandum of sale, including stocks, bonds, real estate, etc.—10 cents.

Certificates of profits of corporations, etc., and transfers thereof, face value, each $100—2 cents.

Chewing gum, each container of actual value of not more than $1 retail—4 cents.

Commercial brokers and commission merchants—$20.

Customhouse brokers—$10.

Deeds of realty transfers, mortgages excepted, when equity exceeds $100 and up to $500—50 cents.

Beer, ale, porter and other similar fermented liquor for every barrel of not more than thirty-one gallons (other quantities proportionate)—$1.50.

Still wines, domestic or imported, per bottle of one-fourth pint or less—¼ cent.

Domestic and imported champagne and other sparkling wines and artificial carbonated wines, bottle, or half pint or less—5 cents.

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Co-operative or mutual fire insurance companies are exempt.

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Perfumes and cosmetics, where the container with contents does not exceed the retail price of 5 cents—½ cent.

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PERSONALS.

Capt. William L. Bates of Dayton, O., a prominent broker and high in the Masonic bodies, is at the Alexandria.

James Hunes of Park City, Utah, Utah delegate to the mining congress to be held at Phoenix, and en route thither, will spend a few days at the home of his son, Dr. H. B. Hunes, No. 4287 Brighton avenue, this city.

Among the guests at the Angelus are Prof. S. C. Mason of the Department of Agriculture, Washington, D. C.; H. F. O'Byrne of the O'Byrne Construction Company, Calipatria, and Miss Effie H. Craig, tourist from Denver.

George H. Brewer, formerly a merchant in Mexico City, is at the Stowell. Some of the other guests at the same hotel are G. A. Long, cattle dealer of Imperial; Capt. O. Young of the steamer Rose City, and R. L. Mark, mining engineer of Denver.

Charles Jensen, private secretary to President Ripley of the Santa Fe, is at the Westminster, accompanied by Mrs. Jensen and their three children; W. M. Gibson, merchant of Santa Paula, and H. E. Dahlman, grain broker, and Mrs. Dahlman of Chicago are also registered at the Westminster.

The arrivals at the Alexandria yesterday included L. H. Stembart, lumber dealer of Portland; W. I. Moody, capitalist of Chicago, who is here for the winter season; K. J. Donan, mine operator, and Mrs. Donan of Tucson; E. T. Thayer, dry goods merchant of Denver, and W. B. Battells, shoe manufacturer of St. Louis.

Mrs. Herbert E. Miles, wife of a wealthy lumberman of Racine, Wis., and her maid are occupying an expensive suite at the Clark. Other guests there are P. E. Lutton, banker of Crown Point, Ind.; C. Wasser, grain dealer of Chicago; E. M. Dunn, merchant of San Francisco, and A. McDonald, hardware manufacturer, and Mrs. McDonald of Indianapolis.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are telegrams at the Western Union for N. G. Archer, Jas. Cassell, Phil P. Cornick, Mrs. Mary E. Gumaer, Louis Henry, F. K. Hutchison, J. J. Maguire, Frank Melton, Mrs. Mary Moore, Mrs. Chas. Nones, Reba Strong and W. S. Welsh. At the Postal: C. B. Lambert, Mrs. C. C. Kirschman, Fred C. Murphy, Miss Gertrude Hayes, Stephen S. Chase, Jr., Crocker and Quigley, W. W. Young, Mrs. Selma Hess, W. F. Noble, E. B. Jibb, Wm. E. White, R. Benedict and Mrs. H. Ramos.

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EFFECT OF BRITISH ACTION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

WASHINGTON BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Vice-Consul Gauss at Shanghai reports that with the taking of the fast Canadian Pacific Company's liners on the Vancouver run by the British government, the volume of shipments of Chinese eggs and poultry to this country will decline, and the intended shipments of dressed poultry will not be made because of lack of refrigeration facilities.

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IT'S "2 MUTCH."

The National Progressive Committee reports among its disbursements a payment to Col. Roosevelt of $1200 for his "traveling expenses" while stumping for the Progressive cause in New England and Pennsylvania in October. Railroad fares in the effete East are evidently exorbitant.

AN ENEMY OF SOCIETY.

Women are not to wear tight skirts any more. Hurrah for the new fashions of next spring and summer! Away with the tight skirt! Henceforth a woman will be a fit comrade for a walk and she will be able to get on or off a street car without turning herself into a human question mark.

EVERYBODY GOING.

San Diego wants 10,000 people from Los Angeles to attend the opening of its fair. Bless our lovely little neighbor, this city will send them a hundred thousand before they are through, and a million others will pass through our gates on their way from the wide, wide world. The same will be true of San Francisco. In this coming year, with its blazing business and its impelling progress, Los Angeles will richly give and as richly receive.

FAITHFUL AND EFFICIENT.

Members of Al Malaikah Temple have once more taken up the work of making Christmas happy for the poor of Los Angeles. They have handled this big problem with remarkable efficiency for eight years and they will do so now, although the situation this year will call for exceptional effort and generosity in view of the city's increasing population and the rather tight business conditions that have affected the country generally and from which the poor are naturally the last to recover.

PLENTY OF GUESTS.

A rich man got married in Chicago and invited the men and women who are down and out to attend his wedding feast instead of calling in his companions. There was another wedding supper once where one went out into the highways and the byways to gather the poor, the lame and the blind. It wasn't any trouble then and it is none now to congregate the improvident and the impoverished. A brilliant modern play holds a character who boasts that he is one of the undeserving poor and he makes a profession of it. Even at that the deserving poor are far more numerous.

CHEERFUL LOSERS.

The National Progressive Committee are like Mulligan's dog after he was kicked into the gutter, cheerful and contented. They have passed resolutions congratulating the Progressives of the country that their cause at the last election lost only about two million votes. They suggest that by abandoning all their distinctive principles—such as popular recall of judicial decisions—and adopting the Republican policy of protection they may again succeed in dividing the Republican vote so as to give President Wilson another term.

Concerning last month's election they make the same comment that the young doctor did with respect to his first case in obstetrics, "I lost the mother," he said, "and I lost the child, but I saved the old man."

WRITING BOOKS.

There is one great indiscretion that most great men are prone to—that of writing books. The devil tempts them and they invariably fall. And a book is a thing that can be quoted against one so disconcertingly. It takes a lifetime to live down a book written before the crisis.

There is Gen. Christian De Wet of South Africa, for instance. In the warm glow that permeated his system when he signed the Peace of Vereeneging in the Boer War he, too, wrote a book. The very last passage extols loyalty to the new British government. The London papers are busy quoting the paragraph in full wherein De Wet recalls that the Boers had been vanquished in honorable conflict and that absolute loyalty to the new government should now be the creed of the honest Boer. Silence would have been golden—and comfortably noncommittal.

A SONG AT TWILIGHT.

Since the Wilson-Bryan policy of "watchful waiting" finally forced Huerta to leave his native land and the unsaluted American flag behind him the only hope for that unfortunate country has been in the military bands of the three fighting men, Carranza, Villa and Zapata. By the irony of fate the quelling of the latest epidemic of lawlessness in the capital city fell to the lot of Zapata, supposed to be the head and front of Mexico's most dangerous band of marauders. To their credit, be it said, the soldiers of Zapata carried out the contract thoroughly and effectively.

Now Zapata never had the backing of William J. Bryan as did the so-called Constitutionalists. Supposing the "tiger of the south" proves himself to be the strongest man in Mexico, will Wilson and Bryan consider this as a direct insult to their foreign policy and proceed with the use of the United States forces to "Huerta" him out of Mexico? Must the sister republic be subjected to more watchful waiting while a swan-song at twilight is again composed for another dictator whose personal make-up is not pleasing to Prof. Wilson?

NEUTRAL PROTESTS.

It was a momentous meeting which met in Washington on Wednesday, when the countries of the Western Hemisphere decided that steps must at once be taken to insure Europe's bearing the whole brunt of her own wars.

Neutral countries are irritated almost beyond endurance by the antics of belligerents in their waters, trade is grievously disorganized and our neutrality jeopardized by daily encroachments. Both in the Atlantic and the Pacific belligerent warships are interfering with western neutral shipping to an indefensible degree, and German activity on the coast of Chile is drawing that country into the war area to a most embarrassing extent.

It is obviously the duty of all neutral countries to protect their neutrality against these unwarrantable conditions which are making the whole world suffer for the private enmities of the few. We are all willing enough to help the helpless, to aid the starving, to lend comfort to the vanquished, but it should be no part of our burden to suffer unwarrantable encroachments upon our territorial rights and to be needlessly dragged into the controversies of the great European powers, some of whom seem to selfishly victimize any person or any country to serve their immediate ends.

With the fortune of battle see-sawing from one side to the other from day to day it seems obvious that the end of the war is a long way off and perhaps we may see these encroachments on our neutrality and our trade, to say nothing of our generosity and our patience, made with more exacting arrogance as time goes on. It was therefore highly desirable that a conference should be called forthwith to put a stop to this sort of thing. It is not unreasonable to demand that the European war be restricted to Europe where actual belligerency is concerned. We must in any case bear our burden of sympathetic disorganization of international trade, and with that, and the calls on our charity, our obligations should end.

It will be a little ironical if that famous A.B.C. mediation scheme should be brought to bear more effectually upon Europe than it was upon Mexico, if the small and young republics of this hemisphere, under our chairmanship, should ultimately impose their will upon the great powers after having failed so signally with a member of their own family. Yet it is often easier to reason with a responsible full-grown adult than with a wayward, incorrigible boy, and there is little doubt that united action from this hemisphere would have salutary effect.

GREAT BRITAIN AND AMERICA.

Philosophers may assert that peace is a natural condition between nations that are kindred in language, laws and literature. But history shows that kinship between nations, as between families, does not prevent quarrels. "Athenians and Thebans," says Viscount Bryce in his introduction to Dunning's "British Empire, "bore to one another undying hate. So did the Pisans and Florentines. Bitter were the wars between German principalities in the sixteenth and seventeenth centuries. Tocqueville said in 1830 that he could conceive of no hatred more poisonous than that which the Americans then felt for England."

Kinship alone would not have been enough to abate this apparently ingrained antagonism. Kinship, however, was reinforced by a sense of the common possession of a great literature and great traditions. "The New Englanders, bitter as they often were toward England, could not forget that Milton and Cromwell were Englishmen. Many a Virginian family was proud of its Cavalier ancestry. So, too, though it was at one time the fashion among the English upper and literary class to treat the Americans as a purely commercial people, and to disparage their literature, each nation had a genuine interest in the other's performances and a capacity for understanding the other which neither possessed as toward any other people. Each was secretly proud of the other, though neither would avow it."

Occasions for quarrel between England and the United States have not been lacking since the treaty of 1783 by which our independence as a nation was secured, or since the treaty of 1814 which terminated the principal differences between us. Neither of these treaties settled the Northeastern frontier of the United States where Maine borders on New Brunswick and Lower Canada.

The Webster-Ashburton treaty of 1842 had no sooner settled our Northeastern boundary than there arose the Oregon question. Our country claimed that the boundary line should be five degrees farther north than Great Britain was willing to concede, and the cry of "fifty-four forty or fight" was a popular slogan. But wiser counsels prevailed. We did not get either fifty-four forty or a fight, but by the treaty of 1846 settled on the forty-ninth parallel of latitude as the line dividing Canada from the United States all the way from the Atlantic to the Pacific.

"Then," says Viscount Bryce, "the diplomatists of both countries were harassed by a dispute relating to the ownership of the Island of San Juan de Fuca, and after that dispute had been referred to the German Emperor and determined by him in favor of the United States, a larger issue was raised over the frontier of Alaska and the Yukon region. This was disposed of by the joint commission of 1903. There still remained a controversy over a little island called Pope's Folly and some fishing grounds in Passamaquoddy Bay. This was settled by an agreement giving the islet to Maine and the fishing grounds to New Brunswick."

Now every yard of the 4000 miles of boundary between the United States and Canada has been determined and marked by scientific surveyors of both nations.

There still remained controversies concerning the seal fisheries of the Pacific and the cod and mackerel fisheries off the coasts of Nova Scotia and Newfoundland. These were settled by The Hague tribunal in 1910.

The times at which there was risk of a war between the great English-speaking nations was the Oregon dispute in 1845, the Trent affair in 1861, the Alabama claims in 1865 to 1871, and the Venezuela incident in 1895.

"The two nations," says Viscount Bryce, "were akin in blood and speech, but a common speech carries with it one disadvantage. Each nation can read all the ill-natured things that are said about it in the other; and there are never wanting those who like to say ill-natured things, sometimes from a vanity which seeks to exalt itself by depressing others, sometimes from a wish to compel attention and produce an effect—for in literature, and especially in journalism, blame draws more notice than praise—sometimes from pure ill-nature, the love of mischief for mischief's sake. Thus of the many offensive words uttered on both sides when temper was up, a larger proportion reached the eyes and ears of the other than if they had spoken different tongues, and what was spitefully said was more galling."

The basis for good will between Britain and America grew wider and firmer with the increased intercourse of private citizens which followed the development of steam navigation. Private friendships became incomparably more numerous, and the interests of commerce were more closely interwoven.

Neither nation was drawn into war by such alliances with any other state as we now see to be among the most deadly sources of war. Happily for herself America has had no entangling alliances; that risk existed only in 1793-95. Britain, not always so carefully detached, never has had, and it may safely be said never will have, any that could require her to array herself against America.

But the main factor working for peace has been the good sense and self-control inherent in the character of the two peoples. Neither of them suffers itself to be swept away by passion, neither forgets, even when demagogues seek to excite it by appeals to national vanity and so-called "points of honor," that there are, behind the susceptibilities of the moment, large interests of permanent well-being to be considered.

"JITNEY" BUSSES.

Our street traffic regulation has for long been one of the toughest problems this municipality has had to deal with. Various plans for relieving the congestion in downtown districts have been formulated, but so far they have not got beyond the academic discussion stage.

This problem has been intensified by the multiplication of nickel busses plying to pick up passengers along Main street, Spring and Broadway in ever-increasing numbers. The "jitney busses" naturally add to the jam of vehicles along these thoroughfares and complaints are pouring in daily to the police department. Accidents also from this cause are reported and a general demand is made for some regulation of these new public carriers.

That the automobile busses are well patronized is proof that our facilities for handling the immense moving crowds in and around Los Angeles are at present inadequate. But that the operation of this new auxiliary mosquito fleet is the best or most desirable way of handling the transportation problem, in the face of the many complaints pouring in from every hand, seems more than dubious. Certainly as they add to the jam of traffic along Main and Spring streets during the morning and evening hours of heaviest travel they hardly compensate the public for the inconvenience thus caused by relieving the street cars of some of their overflow business. Of course they add heavily to the duties of our already hard-worked crossing police. Possibly they inconvenience as many citizens in one direction as they help in another.

The Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association has written to the City Council asking that some action be taken to mitigate this last addition to our street dangers, for with these jitney busses overloaded and passengers hanging on the running-boards a distinctly new risk is incurred by all using the public streets. Next year will see in Los Angeles the largest crowds in the history of the city. It is none too soon to take the street traffic problem seriously in hand and to put in practice some effective regulating measures.

RIPE AND READY TO PICK.

China is certainly becoming civilized on the western plan. Not only is it using California oil in large quantities, but many cities are considering the installation of electric-lighting plants. More than this, there is a big demand for scenic railways, merry-go-rounds and typewriting machines. Always clean, the Chinese are asking for more American-made soaps, now that the war has cut off their soap supply, which formerly was filled by Austria and Germany.

From a recently-published report of the Department of Commerce at Washington one learns that, in addition to the things mentioned, the Chinese are on the lookout for all sorts of goods from electric fans to steel rails. They want marine motors and also condensed milk. Inquisitive people, they are willing to try out American patent medicines, and they also are looking this way for fancy prints in variegated colors, which they used to get from Germany.

It would appear, then, that American exporters should keep a most watchful eye on the Chinese market. China has been spoken of as a giant awakening from a long sleep. He is stretching himself and reaching out his long arms in the expectation that he will find a friend in America. The giant wants many modern things, all of which he can be encouraged to obtain from this country, particularly now that the European countries are almost shut to him. Our Consul-General at Canton reports that in his district there is a demand for almost every article that is made in the United States and good business could be worked up if American manufacturers would send to China experienced and capable salesmen. The Chinese don't buy "on sight, unseen." They want to see samples, to know prices and to be shown how to operate machinery. Theirs is the inquiring mind. It is the belief of the Canton official that if the American manufacturers go at it intelligently, in a few years the United States would be able to get a very large share, if not the control, of the trade in a region where there is a swarming population and where the annual value of the principal imports and exports amounts to no less than $60,000,000. This is what is known as the Canton Delta.

This is the ideal time for America to capture that trade. Transportation to and from America is better now than for many years. The Chinese merchants are in a receptive mood and anxious to do business. But they must be wooed. German and British firms, the latter particularly, are rivals of American houses and they put more energy into getting after the oriental trade. Of course the German firms cannot supply goods from their own country to any extent, but they are buying in neutral lands and endeavoring to maintain their hold on the Chinese market till the war ends and they are enabled to resume business in the same old way. The reason why Americans have shown less energy than their rivals is because they have not felt so anxious to secure the Chinese trade as the Europeans. If they want it and will use but a modicum of the hustle for which they are famous they can get it, for it is a fact well known and appreciated in the Orient that American goods are usually of better quality than those from the continent of Europe. And quality counts with the Chinese as well as with Caucasians.

Kind Lady: Is something hurting your little brother and making him cry? Little Girl: No'm. It's just a habit with him. I ain't never seen nobody look on the dark side o' life like he does.—[Judge.

Always Juggling.

WHAT'S THE USE?

BY EUGENE BROWN.

The most persistent fact disclosed by the official canvass of the vote on the prohibition amendment is that the wet districts went wet, while the dry ones voted dry.

For heaven's sake why not let it go at that?

If people know what they want and are able to go to the polls in considerable numbers to record their wishes, shall they not be suffered to prevail? What's the use in proving they're wrong if they know better and are glad of it?

It is difficult to establish a fairer plan of regulating the sale of liquor, or licensing the traffic, than by community option along certain general lines defined by the State. The desire to dictate the habits, morals, opinions and apparel of the man in the next county may be root-bound, but is it warranted? Are we the keepers of the keys? A large popular majority in one city may feel that there are moral as well as financial reasons for the existence of the licensed and regulated saloon. Why may not this opinion be maintained as the sober judgment of the community? All the virtues are not established under the dominion of prohibition thought. Nor are all the vices rampant in the environment of the licensed saloon.

Why not let Uncle Eli wander down the pike according to his own sweet whim—taking a schnitt of hops when he feels like it, or leaving it alone when he is so minded? What is the use of sicking the druggists and doctors on him and making a "pony" so rare and unreachable that he pursues it in all his waking hours—lying to his family physician and running out a long, red tongue after the appealing manner of a St. Bernard?

I am among those who think whiskers unsanitary. I dislike exceedingly to see them trailing in the maple syrup, and any man with a dense growth of brush on his map is distressing to me. If I were a maiden, the face that was used as an alfalfa pasture should never mingle with mine. Yet if Cousin Peleg wishes to exercise his personal desire to surround his bean with a rich, hirsute fringe, shall I invoke a prohibitory amendment or have him pinched by the cops?

Not to any great extent.

Let him go his hairy and contaminated way. It is his private whim—or vice—and not to be denied. But if he trespasses on me with his flamboyant whiskers or drags his spinach through my personal portion of nesselrode pudding I will appeal to the law—of the militia if necessary. I will let Pearl and Percy tango and smoke cigarettes until they are bleached, but if they invade my private sanctum, or break up my beauty sleep, the hour for remonstrance and retribution has arrived. Some folks I might mention should treat the liquor traffic in a similar way. License it, regulate it, harness it and it becomes a servant bearing a burden of taxation that would stagger the individual. When a community by its vote and voice declares strongly for a licensed traffic let that community have its will without the unceasing embarrassment of those swayed by other sentiments.

Give the town a chance to rest up and get acquainted between elections.

Let it also be gradually conceded that a man may be respected and reputable and still hold that a rigidly regulated saloon is better for himself and his people than a feebly-enforced and unpopular prohibition.

The official returns of the recent election show a State-wide majority against the proposed dry amendment of almost 175,000 votes. This would seem to be an overwhelming deluge of ballots. The "wet" counties and districts registered their moist proclivities by majorities more decisive than ever known before. Likewise emphatic were some of the dry communities in favor of the amendment. There is no question concerning the fairness or completeness of the election. There are no claims of fraud on either side. The wet territories voted wet and the dry districts dry.

Let it go at that.

Persons who are clamoring for fresh campaigns in city, county or State are contributing to an era of turmoil without establishing a result. There is no warrant for the belief that another public expression would change the vote by 2 per cent. Let there be a brief season of tolerance. It would be unjust to say that all the people who favor a regulated liquor traffic are partners in sin and shame. There is abundance of good argument on both sides, and from a practical standpoint the licensed but restricted traffic and the sun-spangled vineyard have for a time the better of it.

Instead of having another spring wrangle over the saloon problem let's all go down to the corner and have a refreshing schooner of buttermilk. Most of those who voted for the licensed saloon seldom drink anything stronger.

RIPPLING RHYMES.

UNCLE JOE.

Bowed by his seventy-seven years, his stogie rank and black, into our lower house of peers, old Uncle Joe goes back. For years he helped to frame our laws with energy and vim, and he supported every cause that then supported him; our liberties he did defend with patriotic blow, and Cannon had no better friend than good old Uncle Joe. He was so strong—like his cigar—the jealous planned his doom, nor rested till they shipped him far, to exile and to gloom. Reformers, with intentions dark, in Congress rose and roared, "He is the Jonah of this ark," then threw him overboard. But Congress, with old Joe therefrom expelled, with jeer and flout, was like the play of Uncle Tom with Lawyer Marks left out. And so the Dans of Danville rose, to vindicate their star, elected him, his baggy clothes, his whiskers and cigar. So let all patriotic men prance round on joyous legs, and let the eagle scream again, and lay a dozen eggs.

WALT MASON.

Cure for Shrapnel Burns.

The Paris Matin prints a description of how Dr. Serge Woronoff, a pupil of Dr. Alexis Carrel at the Rockefeller Research Institute in New York, cures shrapnel burns, which are numerous and deadly, by transplanting placenta tissue obtained at maternity hospitals to the wounded who are suffering from burns at the Russian Embassy's hospital at Bordeaux.

Dr. Woronoff states that this method would be equally successful in peace time for large burns of any kind.

What's in a Name?

[Kansas City Journal:] "Wimmen ain't got no sense of the proprieties."

"How now?"

"You know that bulldog I got my wife?"

"Yes."

"She wants to name it Fifi."

Pen Points: By Stath

Is it possible that George Fred Wil has also struck a submarine?

The Federal League ought to be ab make a safe landing. They have a Fl

Hunters report a great duck season as usual the canvasbacks and the get away.

The official majority against the "dry" California is 174,107. That ought to 'em for a while.

But we do not understand that our tax is levied on the German powder. not a cosmetic.

King George has returned to the line near Calais. He wants to hear the army swears in Flanders.

It is quite a long walk to 1916, lamp it that the Democratic mola 1912 won't catch any more flies.

Los Angeles will have a season of opera this winter. Not a bit too early begin to practice on pronunciation.

Italy again refuses to take a hand great war. This ought to keep the ghetti market within proper bounds.

Secretary Bryan is back from his tr the South. He discovered that the Keys will not unlock the Mexican sit

Villa says he will land at Vera Cruz. Gen. Scott was there before him, speak of little Funston, the Kansas cy

Now that Tom Darmody and his ates have purchased the Los Angeles ball club we hope they will not rock boat.

Now that the Austrians have capt Belgrade the daily paragraph about shelling of the town will drop out of news.

Johnson has jumped to the Fed League. Serepta, we refer to Walter, Hiram W. Johnson. The latter can't 'em over.

The French Parliament has been called meet December 22, but whether at Paris Bordeaux depends entirely upon circ stances.

Where is the Gilbert and Sullivan to irize the "siege" of Tia Juana, with bloodthirsty Mexicans posing for the ing pictures?

Chet Rowell, the Fresno Casabianca on the Bull Moose burning deck in Chic Chet doesn't seem to know that his coat-tails are all ablaze.

It is now predicted that in just sand years Niagara Falls will be dry. looks as if California will swing "dry" column at about that time.

President Wilson will soon annou composition of the Federal Trades C sion. Probably made up of botanis tronomers and star-gazers generally.

President Wilson and Champ Clark kissed and made up, it is reported; do not understand they are good friends to use the same bath towel.

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I wonder what they know?
Go, listen very gently;
You may persuade them

Go, be their little brother,
As humble as the grass
And lean upon the hill wind
And watch the shadows

Put off the pride of knowledge
Put by the fear of pain;
You may be counted worthy
To live with them again.

Be Darwin in your patience,
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They may relent and tell you
What they are thinking of.
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Points: By Stathet

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Federal League ought to be able to safe landing. They have a Plank.

rs report a great duck season; but the canvasbacks and the mallards y.

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Nefarious.

PASS-KEYS ARE BUSILY PLIED.

SIX HUNDRED DOLLARS TAKEN BY SNEAK THIEVES.

Furtive Tribe has One of Most Profitable Days Recorded Here. No Clew in Any Instance to Who Stole Clothes, Watches, Jewelry and Money While Owners Were Away.

Jewelry of every discription late yesterday afternoon and early last night was looted from seven residences throughout the city. Operating with the aid of pass keys, thieves entered the houses while the owners were away and on each occasion escaped with jewelry or money. The burglars were not seen at any of the places entered and left no clews by which the police could trace them.

Amounting to nearly $600, the entire amount of loot, the police declared last night, formed one of the largest days work ever on record for pass-key thieves. Out of the $600 only $23 was taken in money, and clothing amounting to about $30 was reported missing.

Harry Aha, a Japanese of No. 1350 Orange street, was the first to report his losses to the police. While Aha was away from his rooms during the early evening, someone entered with a pass-key and departed with his entire wardrobe. The thief also took a watch and $15 in cash.

One hundred and thirty-five dollars' worth of jewelry, including watches, rings, stickpins, lockets and neckchains, were stolen from the residence of Norton C. Wells, No. 1207 West Third street, some time yesterday. The loss was discovered early last night by the family upon their return from a trip to one of the beaches. The thief entered the house by means of the rear door, using a pass-key.

Mrs. S. A. Henry of No. 622 Austin street reported to the police the loss of a brooch valued at $75. How the brooch was taken, Mrs. Henry was unable to tell.

Returning from a short trip downtown, Miss P. H. Elsassen of No. 1066 West Sixth street discovered and reported the loss of a gold watch and several rings. Her door had been opened by a pass-key and the key left in the lock by the thief.

After a day in Los Angeles, A. E. Wilbur of San Gabriel returned to his home last night to discover that the house had been ransacked and every piece of jewelry taken. His loss, Mr. Wilbur informed the police, is about $250. The thieves are thought to have entered the house with a pass-key, as none of the doors or windows had been forced.

Mrs. M. Donnelly of No. 128 West Fifty-first street rushed to the police station and reported that her handbag had been cleaned of $14 and her bank book, while she was standing in a crowd at Fifth and Hill streets during the early evening. The bag, according to Mrs. Donnelly, was opened by some one, but left hanging on her arm.

E. A. Wescott, a grocer of No. 1005 East Ninth street, told the police of an ungrateful beggar who looted his cash drawer of a $5 bill after he had received a good meal from Mr. Wesscott. According to the story told by the grocer, the man came to the store and ask for a meal. The grocer gave him something to eat and left him in the front of the store. When he returned, the begger was gone and also $5 from the drawer.

LODGE OF SORROW.

Annual Memorial Service of Elks to be Held in the Majestic Theater Sunday Afternoon.

The annual memorial service, or "Lodge of Sorrow" of Los Angeles Lodge, No. 99, Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, will be held in the Majestic Theater on Sunday afternoon at 2 o'clock. Elks everywhere throughout the United States will hold this service to the memory of their departed brethren at the same hour.

The local lodge has a memorial roll of 162 members, fourteen of whom died during the past year. The service will be under the direction of L. L. Brooden, Exalted Ruler, and the programme is as follows:

The eleven strokes; roll call of the dead, E. B. Lovie; "Heavenly Love Abiding," Scottish Rite Quartette; oration, Louis H. Smith; "Hosanna Song," Earl C. Houk; eulogy, Albert Schoonover; "Abide With You," Scottish Rite Quartette; closing ceremonies; "Auld Lang Syne," by the audience; benediction, Chaplain S. W. Kreesen.

BABY TAKES POISON.

Mother Saves His Life by Climbing from Sick Bed and Summoning Aid. Was Playing.

Climbing from her bed, where she lay seriously ill, Mrs. S. Gambina yesterday summoned aid for her fifteen-months'-old baby, Charles, who had taken poison, and saved the child's life. The baby had been left playing on the floor beside his mother's bed and while romping around picked up a small pill box containing several bichloride tablets. He ate some of them and as the poison began to take effect, cried loudly.

Hysterical with fear at the baby's continued crying, the mother feebly climbed from her bed and summoned aid. The child was rushed from the home, No. 2226 Hunter street, to the home of a neighbor, where it received first aid treatment.

Meanwhile the father summoned the police ambulance, and the child, unconscious, was taken to the Receiving Hospital. The doctors said the child will recover.

LOSES DAMAGE SUIT.

Marcus Espinosa, a young Spanish boy, was the only witness in his behalf in a damage action brought against the Los Angeles, San Pedro and Salt Lake Railway for the recovery of $25,000 for the loss of his right leg at Glasgow station, August 18, 1911. He lost his case in the United States District Court yesterday. A jury was waived and the case tried to the court. Espinosa alleged he was knocked from a handcar by an engine while engaged as a member of a section crew in making repairs. It was shown by the railroad company's witnesses that on the day he says the handcar was struck no such accident occurred and moreover Espinosa was not even in the employ of the company the day he says he was injured. On the night of August 18 it was shown by the evidence for the defense, Espinosa was found in the railway yards at Otis, sixty miles away, with his right leg severed from his body. It was evident he had fallen from a train while trying to steal a ride, it was asserted by the attorneys for the company.

The Burning of Antwerp
Motion pictures. Two shows afternoons, two at night. Trinity Auditorium, Grand ave. near Ninth.

Notable Addition to the City's Clergy

Welcome to Dr. James A. Francis,
New pastor of the First Baptist Church—the bareheaded man at the right. Rev. Frank H. Smith, assistant pastor, is greeting him. Mrs. Francis is in the middle.

Heartily Greeted.

SPIRITUAL ELOQUENCE IN PASTURES AFRESH

TWO HUNDRED members of the First Baptist Church welcomed their new pastor, Dr. James A. Francis, and wife to Southern California yesterday and to a church building entirely renovated for their coming.

Long before the California Limited pulled into the Santa Fe station, bearing the man who has long been known as the most eloquent pulpit orator in the Baptist denomination, the welcomers had begun to gather. There were business men who had snatched a few minutes from the office to do honor to their new pastor, also women and children.

It was a welcome unique in latter-day church annals of this city, and it brought pleased smiles to the lips of Dr. and Mrs. Francis.

"I feel at home already," said Dr. Francis as he stepped from the train into the midst of his new congregation.

"A California welcome," said Rev. Frank H. Smith, assistant pastor of the First Baptist Church.

Then followed handshakes, with Dr. Francis gracious, smiling, looking more the business man than the clergyman, and Mrs. Francis motherly, with a pleasant word for all, and most evidently appreciative of the honor done her husband.

Following, Dr. and Mrs. Francis, with Mr. and Mrs. A. Stewart and two sons, who accompanied them here, were taken in automobiles to the home of Dr. Francis's sister, Mrs. A. Buchanan, No. 2416 West Ninth street. Mr. Stewart is a brother of Mrs. Francis, and he and his family are to make their permanent home here. The Francises will live at No. 2223 West Eighth street.

One of six brothers who are clergymen of the Baptist denomination, Dr. Francis comes here from the Clarendon-street church, Boston. He was called to the pastorate of that church in 1902 from the fashionable Riverside Church in New York, and held the position until 1905, when he became an evangelist for the American Baptist Home Mission Society. This work he relinquished in 1909 to accept another call to the Clarendon-street church.

Besides being noted as a pulpit orator, Dr. Francis has a well-merited reputation as a wit. He is also the author of a number of books, one of which includes his addresses before the great annual religious gathering at Northfield, Mass.

Dr. Francis will preach his first sermon in his new church home tomorrow morning.

GARBAGE MAN TO SEEK NEW FIELD.

HAVING FAILED HERE HE WILL TRY TO SOLVE MUDDLE IN THE NORTH.

Having failed to make a success of the garbage business in Los Angeles, Charles D. Crouch has organized the San Francisco Reduction Company and hopes to obtain a contract from the San Francisco Board of Public Works to take over the Islais Creek incinerating plant, with which the Bay City board is having considerable trouble.

Until recently Mr. Crouch was president of the Pacific Reduction Company, which started to build a plant at Lenard street and the river. The company entered into a contract with the city to take over all of the city's gargabe and dispose of it. This contract was never fulfilled by the company and financial troubles soon set in which resulted in the Board of Public Works being forced to sign an assignment of the contract to the Bartlett and Snow Company, which agrees to have the plant in partial operation by April 1.

Mr. Crouch, who also operates a small reduction plant at San Pedro, is president of the San Francisco Reduction Company. His son, V. E. Crouch, who has been associated with him in many enterprises in many parts of the country, is also an officer. The other incorporators are J. U. Gridley, George Hansen and G. Micon. The company is incorporated for $50,000 and the amount of stock subscribed is $500.

The Board of Public Works of San Francisco has rejected the incinerating plant upon recommendation of the City Engineer. The contractors failed to comply with the specifications. The board demanded the removal of the plant and return by the contractors of the money paid by the city. The progress payments by San Francisco on the plant amounted to over $85,000, it is said, and an additional $43,000 for machinery. This $128,000 San Francisco now seeks to recover.

The contracting concerns at San Francisco were known as the Destructor Company and the Power Specialty Company. The financial muddle into which their garbage plant has fallen is one that is appealing to Mr. Crouch, now that he is no longer associated with the garbage situation in Los Angeles, and it is understood that efforts will be made by Mr. Crouch and his associates to make a deal in San Francisco similar to that made by him here, which resulted in utter failure.

Pathetic.

SILENT DRAMA OF WAR THRILLS AND APPALLS.

NO MOTION pictures have ever attracted greater attention in Los Angeles than the remarkable films of little Belgium now shown at Trinity Auditorium. Crowds that are growing with each presentation have been thrilled and appalled and had the emotions stirred as no other drama has done.

At each performance the auditorium has been filled. Late comers have had to suffer the disadvantage of retired seats, and hundreds of requests for reserved seats have already been filed. A phenomenal attendance for the run of the pictures here is the prediction of theatrical men.

The films have the rare quality of carrying a direct appeal to every person. None can escape some intimate emotion, after watching the revelation of misery, woe and destruction, and bravery, courage and loyal steadfastness. The impulse which made it possible for the people of Los Angeles and of America to witness the films is a most unusual instance of pathos.

For months the people of Belgium refused absolutely to permit photographers to photograph the plight of the sick and wounded nation. Not until the superior hosts of the Germans made the protection of their land impossible did the Belgian officials even consider granting the privilege to the moving-picture men. Finally, when it became a certainty that the loss was to be tremendous and the woe and suffering beyond conception, the demand for some relief resources became immediate, and it was then that the Belgian officials agreed to permit the scenes of the country to be filmed with the agreement that one-half of the proceeds from the exhibition of the films should be returned to Belgium, to be used by the Red Cross in relieving the suffering and hunger that the war had caused.

The Belgian colony in Los Angeles and vicinity awaited the coming of the films so impatiently that hundreds of tickets had been reserved by them before the films arrived. In the first performances they have crowded to the Trinity Auditorium, and those who witness the suffering of the Belgians here as the terrible scroll unrolls, get a deeper insight into the depths of the distress abroad.

Many thousands of Los Angeles persons have traveled abroad and are familiar with the little land that is so desolate now. These travelers are eagerly applying for seats, that they may view the first official films of the war to realize the change that has come. The cities they knew are now but ruins, the dogs that they saw dragging milk carts about are now the motive power for machine guns, and the wonderful draft horses that are the pride of Belgium are galloping before the heavy artillery, and these the films show with a vividness that is almost a sob.

Most fascinating, yet most painful for the Belgians to watch, is the final flight of their countrymen into Holland. It is then that control breaks and open sobbing comes. The appeal is so personal that the contributions to the Red Cross fund from those who have witnessed the pictures is already apparent by its liberality. And those who attend the exhibition of the pictures are at the same time contributing to the relief of the woe they witness, for one-half of the entire proceeds from the display of the films is to be returned directly to Belgium, into the treasury of the Red Cross there.

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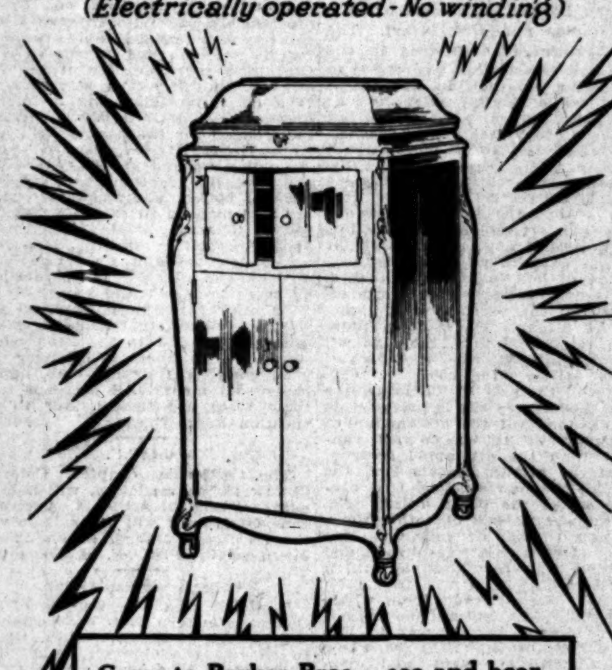

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Life's Gentler Side—Society, Music, Song and the Dance—The Theaters

EVENTS IN LOCAL SOCIETY.

ONE of the delightful small affairs of the week was the luncheon given Wednesday by Mrs. Albert Olcovich of No. 952 Arapahoe street in the redroom of the Sierra Madre Club. The table was a mass of Killarney roses, while the place cards were daintily hand-painted Parisian maids attired in the most modish of modern creations. After the luncheon, Mrs. Olcovich's guests attended the Orpheum. Those present were Mrs. Ralph Hagan, Mrs. Lulu Ralphs, Mrs. Edward Zobelein, Mrs. Jack Hammer, Mrs. T. L. Stassforth, Mrs. Robert Johnson, Mrs. William Metzger and Mrs. John Prinsen.

Kermiss Ends Tonight.

The Kermiss given by the Woman's Club of Hollywood, under the directions of Mrs. Murray Russell, will close tonight with a dance and general social evening. Both the old and new dances will be enjoyed and a large attendance is expected.

Recent Wedding.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. S. D. Bowser, No. 1326 Forty-eighth street, last Monday evening was daintily decorated with roses and ferns for the marriage of their daughter, Miss Alta Ruby, to Errol Knight of Rio Bravo. Rev. Mr. Taylor of the Budlong Methodist Church officiated. The bride was gowned in white silk crepe de chene with an overdress of lace. Miss Clarice Cord attended the bride as maid of honor, and Perry Knight served as best man.

Silver Anniversary.

The home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank J. Schmitz of Oneonta Park was recently the scene of a happy celebration in honor of the silver anniversary of their wedding. Pretty decorations added to the pleasantness of the occasion. About eight intimate friends were present and all joined in congratulations and best wishes for the continued happiness of the bride and groom of twenty-five years ago.

Reception and Dance.

Queen Alexandra's birthday was celebrated by a large reception and musicale, followed by a dance at the Hotel Westmoore Wednesday evening. The affair was given in honor of Queen Alexandra by the State Chapter of the Daughters of the British Empire. The receiving line included Mrs. A. Macarthur, chairman of the reception; Mrs. Gerald Ward, regent of the chapter; Mrs. A. T. McCord, Mrs. A. E. Webb and Mrs. Fred Winstanley. The decorations were in green and yellow with pink carnations, American and British flags.

Six o'Clock Dinner.

Mrs. O. T. Flood of East Fifty-second place was the charming hostess of a 6 o'clock dinner recently at Hotel Clark. Eleven enjoyed her hospitality.

Refreshing.

NEUHAUS GENIUS SHOWS ON IVORY.

UNIQUE PROGRAMME DEFINES PLEASING PURPOSE.

Lilt of Music Never Lost, Though Expression is Given Full Range. Blending of German and Hungarian Temperaments Fixes Individuality of Style.

Estella Neuhaus presented a programme at the Little Theater yesterday afternoon which not only singles her out as a pianiste of rare natural and technical talent, but also a genius at concert arrangement. It was different, purposeful and, to a certain extent, unique.

As for the lady herself, she is a mistress of the keyboard, poetic to a degree in her expression, yet with a touch of dominance that gives a body of volume to even her lightest passages, without detracting one whit from their lightsome lilt.

Neuhaus styles herself Hungarian and German, which doubtless explains her unusual style. It accounts in a measure, too, for the arrangement of her programme, in which Liszt's Hungarian Rhapsodie No. 13 and Klein's "Slavonian Cradle Song" are coupled with bits from Debussy, Chopin and Cui.

Seldom heard here, and thus doubly attractive, was Balakirew's "Islamey." It is Russian, yet Oriental, eerie and weird.

J. Howe Clifford added mightily to the programme with his readings. He is a lecturer of repute and proved a valuable segment of the afternoon's recital.

OUT OF CAPTIVITY.

Three Angeleno Hunters, Who Were Detained by Villa Troops as Spies, Return Safely.

Dr. S. W. Mellon, Dr. G. H. Mellon and James F. Ogden, members of the hunting party that was detained by the Villa forces in Mexico near the Russian village of Bada, have returned to Los Angeles. They had gone to Ensenada, where they made headquarters for their trip.

"Going out from Ensenada in our motor car, we could get to the hunting ground in a short time," said Dr. S. W. Mellon yesterday. "We had luck and bagged a number of deer and mountain lions. Also the fishing was splendid. We were returning after a most successful trip when we were stopped by the Villa company.

"From rumors we had heard of their methods of handling suspects, we feared trouble of the most serious kind. Instead, they extended us every courtesy. We were fed the very best and given every liberty consistent while remaining with the army. When we reached the boundary line we were released."

The Search for Seclusion.

By Sara Moore.

Modern love stories have no records of "a good-night kiss at the gate."

WOMEN'S WORK, WOMEN'S CLUBS.

BY AGNES THURNAU.

New movements in life bring new movements in art. As might be expected, the great sex quake that rocked the world for ten years, until the war in Europe obscured it from the horizon of things, brought corresponding upheavals in art. The militant suffragettes ushered in the cubists and futurists, an expression in art of what was felt in life. These schools, while tacitly adopting as their slogan, "scorn woman," are but trying to do to Velasquez and Michelangelo what the Pankhursts are trying to do to Asquith. It is the same force manifesting differently in different places. Rebellion is in the air. Rebellion against the established order of things in art and in life. The immediate rebellion is very unlovely, it is always so with rebellion. Nothing this side of hell looks worse than a militant suffragette in action, unless it is one of the welsh rarebit nightmares of Marcel Du Chant-Villon, like "Nude Descending the Stairs." That thing looks like a bunch of shingles falling off a roof. A suffragette on the way to jail looks like a fiend. Sometimes she is pretty close to being one. But the destruction of the Rokeby "Venus" was no more vandalistic than the attempted destruction of the artistic ideals of the world by the new schools. One succeeded where the other failed. The same impulse is back of both actions. Defensible? That depends upon the point of view. Both are revolution, and revolution is never defensible until it is successful.

Back of the dynamic force which is manifesting as militantism in London, insurgency in art, war in Europe, unrest throughout this whole world, something radiant and dazzingly beautiful is being born. These movements in art and life presage its birth. They are not permanent features of existence. They are cracking the egg for their chick to come forth. However crude and grotesque the present efforts of the artists to translate this thing into terms of art, out of their grotesqueness a wonderful new art will come. Scriabine has sensed its possibilities in the music of "Prometheus," which Herr Tandler will give us this winter. The Pankhursts have sensed its possibilities in life. Whatever their failure to bring it into expression, the potent fact that the force is at work remains. Militantism in life and art, and a great world war are facts. Let's face them. While we may deplore the errors, failures and suffering incident to the crushing of certain forms of life and art, we know that all growth is based on the crushing of existing forms that new and finer ones may rise. The militantism abroad in the world is cosmic. Back of it all will something wonderful come to this humanity. It is on the way. Let us have strength to watch with shining eyes, and hold neutral hearts, while the way is being prepared, and lend a hand when we may.

Woman's Twentieth Century.

At the December 10 meeting of this club the Drama League will present the programme, with reader and speaker to explain the work of the league in connection with women's clubs. Hostesses for the day are Mrs. Roland McNitt, Mrs. J. H. Moshier and Miss Anna O. Swan.

Legislation Recommended.

In executive session Thursday the southern division of the Woman's Legislative Council of California, of which Mrs. Seward Simons is chairman, several recommendations of legislation were made. Mrs. Simons reports that the measures recommended by the southern division for indorsement by the main body which will convene in San Francisco December 11 and 12 are as follows: Bill providing for establishment of a forestry commission; bill providing for women jurists; birth registration legislation. The bill covering compulsory education was not satisfactory to the southern division of the council, and was referred back to the main body for further consideration before indorsement. Mrs. J. L. Harbaugh of Sacramento is president of the Legislative Council, which convenes in San Francisco December 11 and 12.

Friday Morning.

Preceding the lecture on Friday morning by Miss Lutie Stearns, which was one of the most notable ever given before the club, was a report from the club's representative at the City Council. In this report was reviewed in a clear, impartial and systematic manner the work which has occupied the Council for the past month. Mrs. Eliza Tupper Wilkes, then talked to the club about one of its newest social activities, the vacation home for tired women, being maintained at Venice. Mothers may go there for a rest and return to their homes strengthened and improved in health. Girls who are run down and tired and have no homes in which to recuperate may go there and rest and be cared for. It is one of the most practical and worthy charities that could be maintained. To add to the fund which supports this home a calendar has been gotten out by the club, and is being sold for $1. All proceeds from these sales are turned over to the vacation home fund.

C.C.C.C.

The California chapter, Colorado Cliffdwelling Association, will hold its next meeting December 8. A visit to Exposition Park will be made to view the La Brea exhibits, which will be discussed by Prof. F. S. Daggett.

College Woman's Club.

The public affairs section of the College Woman's Club has postponed the address of H. M. Duryea, who is to address the club on child labor. Substituting Mr. Duryea's talk will be a discussion of the charter amendments to come before the people shortly. Mrs. Ella Hamilton Durley, chairman of the public affairs section, announces that Mr. Duryea's address will be made some time in January.

PAINTINGS EXHIBITED.

Water Colors of Coast and Desert Landscapes by Popular Northern Artist at Exposition Park.

Francis McComas of San Francisco, rated as one of the foremost water-colorists of America, is holding a special exhibition of twenty of his late studies of the Arizona desert and Monterey landscapes, at the Gallery of Fine and Applied Arts, Museum of History, Science and Art, Exposition Park.

Mr. McComas, who handles the water-color medium in a unique manner, is one of the most popular painters in the north, and his work is shown in Los Angeles for the first time at the new museum. Few artists paint the charm of the Monterey country with the ease and abandon that Mr. McComas displays in his work. His desert landscapes possess a brooding melancholy true to the location and the color harmony is matchless.

Curator Maxwell has worked out a hanging scheme that adds much charm to the collection. The works are divided into groups of like subject and separated by urns of California tree foliage.

On the screens are to be seen a collection of eighteen water-color sketches of the Panama-Pacific Exposition at San Francisco, by Miss Donna Norine Schuster, a talented Los Angeles painter. Miss Schuster is one of the most promising young artists on the Coast and has recently won the first prize at the Minnesota Art Society.

Thursday from 2 to 5 o'clock a public reception will be held in the art gallery in honor of Mr. McComas. All are welcome.

BREAKS UP SCHOOL.

Only It's of Contraband Kind. Teachers are Given Chance to Think up Another in Jail.

The Chinese school for the manufacture of American citizens that has been in operation in San Luis Obispo for some time temporarily closed yesterday, when Judge Bledsoe in the Federal Court sentenced Leong She, a woman 65 years of age, and Ng. Wen each to six months in the County Jail, the woman to San Luis Obispo, and the man to the Los Angeles County Jail.

They were charged with conspiracy, but the chief of the gang, Gee Chung, who skipped a bail of $2000, was afterward arrested in Seattle and is now in the County Jail, is yet to be tried. It apears that in the plan as carried out by Gee Chung, Leong She posed as being the mother of two Chinese boys, Gin On and Gin Lun, in her testimony before an immigration inspector at San Luis Obispo, and Ng. Wen testified that he had known the boys as the children of Leong She since their birth. It was the understanding that Gee Chung was to pay $200 for the evidence that when furnished to Gin On and Gin Lun would serve to admit them again to the United States after a proposed trip to China, their American citizenship having been established by what is known as the pre-investigation method.

It is claimed by the immigration inspectors that quite a thriving business has been carried on at San Luis Obispo by Gee Chung, who has been successful in many cases in furnishing evidence before an inspector tending to show that certain Chinese were American born, and therefore entitled to enter this country.

CAN HE DODGE FEE?

Householder Proposes to Lower Water Cost by Deeding Wife Six-inch Strip of Land.

Deeding a six-inch strip of property to one's wife to avoid paying extra for water is a new scheme with which the Board of Public Service Commissioners was confronted yesterday.

The proposal has to do with the ruling of the board that each lot on which there is a house, that fronts on a street having a water main, must have a separate meter. The proposal was submitted by Architect J. F. Zeller in the interest of his client, Richard Webb, owner of a lot 50x140 feet at Beaudry avenue and Colton street, for the consideration of the board.

Mr. Webb's residence is on the opposite end of the lot from Beaudry avenue, but he has been securing his water from the main on that thoroughfare, because when his house was built, there was no main on Colton street. He is now constructing six bungalows, of the "court" type, on Colton street, and desires to make water connections with the service pipe from Beaudry avenue, thus having all the houses on one meter, and avoiding paying the stipulated initial fee, which is required from each house. He proposes therefore to barricade his lot from Colton street by deeding a six-inch strip to his wife. Special Attorney Mathews was instructed to prepare an opinion on the proposal.

NO DAMAGES FOR HIM.

New Mexico Ranchman Loses Big Suit Against Street Car Company for Lost Hand.

It required only about ten minutes for the jury in Judge Wellborn's court yesterday to return a verdict in favor of the defendant in an action brought by E. F. Bloodgood against the Los Angeles Railway Corporation for $20,250 damages for the alleged carelessness of agents and servants of the company in causing Mr. Bloodgood to be run over by a car at Twenty-fifth street and Central avenue, March 5, 1914, resulting in the loss of his left hand.

Mr. Bloodgood is a New Mexican rancher.

Arizona.

Y.M.C.A. HAS A NEW HOME.

Hundred Thousand-dollar Structure for Tucson.

Rancher Discovers Goats' Milk is Good for Calves.

Eastern Capitalists Interested in Reclamation Deal.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

TUCSON (Ariz.) Dec. 3.—With appropriate ceremonies, Tucson's $100,000 Y.M.C.A. building, constructed on a site once occupied by the greatest gambling palace of Arizona's pioneer days, was formally opened. W. H. Day, interstate secretary of the association, presided at the gathering. Adresses were made by Dr. Von Klein Smid, president of the University of Arizona; N. E. Plumer, J. S. Bayless and others.

One lone ostrich, wandering over the mesa northeast of Tucson, has been the cause of several runaways and of some weird, wonderful stories told by tenderfeet. The bird was one of a shipment of fifteen sent from the Salt River Valley to the ranch of Dr. Charles A. Meserve, State chemist. One of the birds became entangled in barbed wire and killed itself, and one escaped.

At a meeting of the Y.M.C.A. cabinet of the University of Arizona, it was decided to send two representatives to the Pacific Coast Y.M.C.A. conference, which will be held at Asilomar, Cal., December 26 to January 4.

WILSON HEEDS APPEAL.

By appealing direct to President Wilson, Pedro Islas, formerly a captain in Gen. Hill's army, at Naco, has escaped being deported through Agua Prieta or Nogales, which ably would have meant his execution. In a quarrel, Islas a brother officer. He fled line, but was arrested by the States immigration authorities was ordered that he be deported Islas asked that he be sent the port of El Paso. This fused, because he could not for transportation to that the custody of an officer. to the President brought modification of the deportation

Calves thrive on half as much milk as cow's milk, according J. Davidson, a goat breeder ranch east of Tucson. making a careful experiment calves.

He has had experience just how much cow's milk it is sary to feed calves of their feeds them just half as much milk, and says that they are well. Goat's milk, according to son, is richer in fat and other tive properties than is cows.

FIRST WITHDRAWAL UNDER CAREY ACT

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

YUMA (Ariz.) Dec. 3.— first withdrawl of public lands the Carey Act has been made includes 20,000 acres of rich and bottom land on the south the Gila River, near Palomas, in county.

Eastern capitalists, represented S. H. Woodruff of Los Angeles formed a company for the purpose reclaiming this tract. They develop the underground flow Gila by putting down a series of nected pits in the sandy pumping the water into a which will convey it to the principal expense will be pumping plant. There is no water. At that point the no surface flow during a great of the year, but the underground is always heavy.

Engineers employed by the cate will immediately draw plans detailed specifications. These and estimates will be checked by the State Land Commission the Land Commission finds the feasible, it will recommend Interior Department that the drawal be made permanent.

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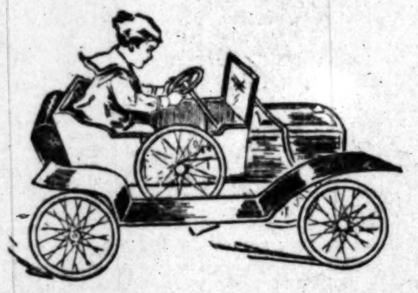

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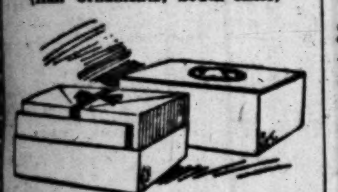

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(Sweaters; Second Floor)

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(Garments; Second Floor)

Vacuum Bottles, etc. Reduced

$1.50 Icy Hot Vacuum Bottles, pints; black enamel with nickel shoulder and cap $1.10

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(Leather Goods; Main Floor)

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(Cafe; Fourth Floor)

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(Corsets; Second Floor)

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Of crepe de Chine and lace, in pink, blue or white; were $1.50, $1.75, $2.25 and $3—now $1, $1.25, $1.50 and $2.00.

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Hand embroidered; were $2.25 and $3, now $1.50 and $2.

Gowns

Hand embroidered; were $2, $2.25, $3, $3.50 and $4.50, now $1.25, $1.50, $2.00, $2.25 and $3.00.

(Undermuslins; Second Floor)

Marabou Capes, Etc., on Sale

Capes, stoles and muffs, some capes satin lined and finished with tassel ends, in black, natural and red fox.

Values to $15, for $10.
Values to $10, for $7.50.
Values to $7.50, for $5.00.

(Marabou; Main Floor)

Girls' Coat Sale

Winter styles in woolens, and a few plush and corduroys; sizes 10 to 14.

The plush and corduroys come in green, Copen, black, in the $8.75 group—

$12 to $15 Coats now.... $8.75
$8 to $9 Coats now...... $6.75

(Children's Wear; Second Floor)

Initial Hdkfs. 15c to 75c Each

For Women—full lines of several different styles at each price.

For Men—a full line of initials at 25c, 35c and 50c — unusually good values at the prices.

Buy Early—if you would buy from complete stocks.

(Handkerchiefs; Main Floor)

$7.50 to $15 Trimmed Hats $3.50

Of course, such a ridiculously low price doesn't even cover the cost of the materials in these hats; but it does get stocks down where they ought to be at this time of year!

Handsome, stylish velvet hats, trimmed with ostrich, fur, flowers, ribbon and feather fancies; exceptional values even at first prices; bargains of the truest sort, and shown in wide variety of style, at $3.50.

(Millinery; Main Floor)

Velvets & Silks Make Good Gifts

Many practically-minded people are buying waist or dress patterns off these much-reduced velvets and silks; why is the suggestion not a good one for you? All selections neatly boxed, upon request:

In the Velvets

26-inch Golf Cords; all late shades; regularly $1.50, at $1
27-inch Corduroys and Velvets; good colors; regularly 75c, at.. 50c
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In the Silks

44-inch Silk Gabardine Suitings; all good street shades; regularly $4, at.... $3.50
45-inch Silk and Wool Bengaline; black and colors; regularly $3.50 .... $3
42-inch Silk and Wool Bengaline; in black and colors; the regular $3 grade at $2.50

(Silks; Velvets; Broadway Annex)

Dainty Ribbon Novelties

A Sale of Good Ribbons at 35 Cents

It does not require any particular talent to fashion these pretty things from ribbons; we are glad to show you how to make anything in our stocks of ready-made novelties, or they will be sold as displayed. Included are parasol bags (as illustrated) corset bags, shoe bags, work bags, party and vanity bags and others.

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—the prettiest of ribbons, in Dresden and Persian designs; 4½ to 6 inches wide, shown in a good assortment of patterns, light and dark; they will be exactly the thing to make up these novelties from; values to 65c for 35c.

(Ribbons; Main Floor)

Lace Neckscarfs Reduced a Fourth

Spanish, Lierre and Princess lace scarfs, in excellent taste for any woman's gift; and selling regularly at $7.50 to $32.50, are now reduced a straight fourth—that is, $7.50 scarfs will be $5.65, and so on up to the $32.50 ones, will be $24.40.

(Neckwear; Main Floor)

Buy These to Give a Man

Something he can use pleases the average man better than a fancy article that he doesn't know what to do with. Why not things like these?

Men's Shirts

—Arrow, Savoy and Wilson Bros., best patterns; all sizes—

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$2 grades, three for $5.

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—good makes, with or without gauntlets; all sizes, various styles; built to wear, at $1.50 to $6.00.

Street and Dress Gloves—too, in well-known makes.

Mackinaw Coats

—for chauffeurs and others out-of-door; long or short styles.

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Pasadena.

PASTORS WINK UNSEEING EYES.

Will Overlook Flashing of Knitting Needles.

Women Plan Church Sewing Bees for Sunday.

"Sabbath was Made for Man," Quotes Minister.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

PASADENA, Dec. 5.—In at least two churches tomorrow the click-click of knitting needles in the hands of women in the pews will accompany the sermons the minister will preach. While the pastors are composing fabrics of religion for the souls of his flock, the women will be fashioning garments of wool for the chilled limbs of the suffering European soldiers.

The industry of the pews was instituted by Miss Kate Fowler, the richest and one of the most lovable girls in Pasadena. The first to respond to her call was Mrs. William Stewart McCay, who will take her knitting to church tomorrow and who invites her friends to join her.

"I do not urge this because I wish to be sensational or because I desire to create an innovation in church," declared Mrs. McCay last night, "but because I wish to impress everyone with the need of devoting every spare moment to making warm garments for the millions of soldiers, many of whom are perishing from the cold."

When asked last night if he would object to the women knitting in church, Dr. Robert Freeman, pastor of the Pasadena Presbyterian Church, said he had no objections in the circumstances. The only thing he was afraid of was that in their zeal to give comfort to the body, they might neglect the finer things of life. However, he declared he did not object, and they can bring their knitting to his church if they wish.

"Were I in Europe," said Dr. Freeman, "I would urge the women of my congregation to come to church with their knitting; and, sympathizing as I do with the movement started here by such a noble woman as Miss Fowler, I shall certainly not object to it here."

SABBATH FOR MEN.

Dr. Leslie Learned, pastor of All Saints' Episcopal Church, expressed his views on the subject when he quoted a passage from the Bible. He said, "You know, when the Jews criticised Christ for picking corn on the Sabbath, he replied by saying, 'man was not made for the Sabbath, but the Sabbath was made for man.'"

The women who have started the ball to rolling declare that since the inspiration came from God, it is only fitting that it be begun in His house.

Since the printing of the stories in The Times Mrs. McCay and Mrs. R. R. Blacker, wife of the president of the local Red Cross Society, say scores of women have expressed their intentions of devoting every spare moment in knitting and crocheting for the soldiers. And this feeling is not confined merely to the society women or the leisure class, but even the maids of several households have asked to be allowed to help.

T. W. Mather and Herman R. Hertel, two local merchants, have employed teachers who will instruct the unskilled women of Pasadena how to knit and crochet. Classes will meet on Tuesdays, Thursdays and Saturdays.

Mrs. McCay is anxious that the woolen mills take up the good cause and knit garments for the soldiers. She says that in the East they are already busy. Dr. Rosa Englemann and the wife and daughters of Dr. Hibbard are also very much interested in the knitting movement.

CITY BRIEFS.

Having pleaded guilty in the Police Court Thursday of violating the liquor ordinance, Milton H. Francis, proprietor of the Creamery Cafe at No. 56 South Fair Oaks avenue, lost his liquor license yesterday at the hands of the City Commission. Deputy City Attorney James H. Howard stated that from the evidence gathered at the hearing that the place had been a source of much trouble and annoyance to the police and that Francis was not the proper person to continue with a liquor license.

Anticipating the Christmas holidays and mindful of the saying "the early bird catches the worm," half a dozen children of Pasadena have already addressed letters to "Santa Claus, North Pole." If people with a charitable inclination wish to see the letters and play Santa Claus to the poorer children, Postmaster McLain says they may do so, otherwise the letters and post cards must be forwarded to Washington.

Manaba Kohara, a Japanese will be ordained into the ministry tomorrow afternoon at 4 o'clock at the Union Japanese Church, to which he has accepted the call as its pastor. Rev. Daniel F. Fox of the First Congregational Church will preside at the services and Rev. Robert Freeman, pastor of the Pasadena Presbyterian Church, will preach the sermon. The prayer of ordination will be delivered by Rev. Seldon Cummings of the First Baptist Church, while the right hand of fellowship will be extended by Rev. James H. Lash of the Lake-avenue Congregational Church. Japanese pastors from Los Angeles churches will also participate. Kohara is a young Japanese who was graduated last spring from the Pacific Theological Seminary at Berkeley.

At the memorial services to be held at the Universalist Church tomorrow evening at 7:30 o'clock for Dr. E. L. Conger, pastor emeritus, brief addresses will be delivered by several ministers and other prominent men. Those who will speak are Dr. C. E. Nash, Rev. William Jones, Dr. Leslie E. Learned and President Scherer of Throop College. Special music will be provided and all friends of the beloved man are invited to attend.

With nine years of experience in charity work to her credit, Mrs. Robert Ladd Gifford of Oak Knoll has been elected president of the Pasadena Humane Society to fill the vacancy caused by the death of Dr. E. L. Conger. Since coming here Mrs. Gifford has been interested in the local work and has given her time, money and influence to further the cause. She is the daughter of Mrs. Everett W. Brookes, who gave the municipal plunge to Pasadena. She is also interested in the State and national organization.

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FIGHT TESTIMONY OF BEREAVED SON.

DEFENSE ALLEGES DEATH RESULTED FROM OLD INJURY. MOTOR HITS CHILD.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 4.—Boldly declaring that I. O. Wilson died of senile epilepsy, attorneys for Frank C. Kent today fought hard the testimony of Ray Wilson, son of I. O. Wilson. Ray said that Kent struck his father over the head with a rake, and when the head of the rake broke off the handle was used as a club.

The case of the defense will rest largely on the testimony of physicians. Earl Rogers, who heads the defense, in his opening statement said that the autopsy showed where Wilson's brain was fast to the skull through an old inflammation, and that he had been treated for epilepsy before he and Kent quarreled at Garden Grove over irrigation water.

HIT BY MOTOR.

Frank Callahan, aged 8, son of James H. Callahan, a West Fifth street ranchman, was run over by a motorcycle ridden by a man named Masters, of Wintersburg. The boy was thrown fifteen feet, and is suffering from concussion of the brain caused by a blow back of the ear. Frank was on his way to the Bolsa school when Lyman Burrier called to him to ride in his buggy. The boy was running to the buggy when he was struck.

LEFT TO THE WIDOW.

The will of C. E. French, a Santa Ana pioneer, filed today, leaves $100,000 in property to the widow, Emma L. French. The will states that French's two daughters, Mrs. Gertrude M. Burns and Miss Ethel L. French, were amply provided for in deeds to real estate.

TRAMPS MAKE ASSAULT.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

COLTON, Dec. 4.—Lying unconscious for five hours in the rear of an old building after he had been attacked and beaten by two tramps was the experience yesterday of N. L. Parmer. En route to the cement plant Parmer stopped at the building, which he uses as a workshop and storing place for his carpenter tools, at 6 o'clock in the morning. Two men were in possession of the back room and refused to move on. Striking him with a piece of lead pipe, they rifled his pockets of about $10 and fled. As it was near 11 o'clock ere Parmer regained his senses, his assailants had ample time to make a get-away. The town is over-run with tramps, but this is the first instance of an assault.

TENDERS RESIGNATION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

BAKERSFIELD, Dec. 4.—Lawrence E. Chenoweth, appointed a member of the State Board of Education by Gov. Johnson, will tender his resignation on Monday next, having been elected superintendent of the Kern county schools at the general election. He cannot hold county and State office simultaneously.

THE TIMES has arranged a daily automobile paper delivery service between Los Angeles and San Diego, delivering papers at San Diego about 7 a.m. daily. Wheeler & Palmer are operating big touring cars in this service, and will carry passengers from San Diego to Los Angeles daily. Persons desiring to make this trip can arrange for it through The Times Agency at San Diego, No. 436 B street.

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Santa Barbara.

FINAL REPORT IS AWAITED.

Supervisors Ask Grand Jury to be Specific.

Santa Barbara Stirred up by Allegations.

Reception Planned if the President Accepts.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA BARBARA, Dec. 4.—What will the grand jury do next Monday is the one uppermost question in all circles. The inquisitors meet here Monday to begin the preparation of their final report. Last week they handed a hot roast to the Board of Supervisors for the conditions at the County Hospital, and advised recalling the board.

During the week inquisitors have been hunting out the expense accounts of the individual members of the board from the time the Supervisors took office. An air of expectancy broods over the courthouse. The inquisitors claim that powers outside of the officials themselves control county affairs.

They say the board promised last March to call a special election to vote bonds at once for a County Hospital, and that outside influences interfered, tied the hospital bond proposition up with a good roads bond issue and hung up all high in the air.

The Supervisors have come back with the challenge to the jurors to be more specific. "If we have done wrong anywhere point it out—don't hint; and if someone has prevented the grand jury from meeting and hampered its work, point out the guilty ones," is the defi flung back by the board.

The Supervisors will also meet Monday and be on hand to face the music. In the meantime interest grows apace in the delvings of the jurors, whose report bids fair to contain the first genuine searching inquiry ever made public in this county.

PRESIDENT'S RECEPTION.

This city will invite the Southland to its reception to President Woodrow Wilson and the combined fleets next spring, if an invitation wired to the President to visit this city is accepted.

Upon the fate of the invitation depends the nature of the spring festival. Mayor Frank Smith and President C. D. Hubbard of the Santa Barbara County Chamber of Commerce wired the invitation. It is proposed just as soon as a favorable answer is received to start the machinery working for the biggest celebration this section has ever seen.

The Chamber of Commerce has appointed the following committee to plan the celebration: Reginald G. Fernald, chairman; J. M. Warren, C. E. Spear, Harold Chase, T. M. Storke, H. W. Beatty, E. P. Dunn, Z. A. Lear, C. H. Frink, P. H. Rice, Russell Ray. Fifty thousand rose bushes will be set out within the first few weeks following the receipt of word that the invitation is accepted. Acres on acres of other choice flowering plants will be started.

A goodly-sized fleet of yachts will be secured to aid in the water festival and details worked out that will give Santa Barbara additional fame as a place of entertainment.

DIES OF PARALYSIS.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

OXNARD, Dec. 4.—Unconscious since October 21, from the third stroke of paralysis in three years, Mrs. Mary Hitch died at the home of her cousin, Enoch Waters, in Las Posas. Her three children, George Hitch of Montalvo, Mrs. Lucy Stevenson and Miss Bettie Hitch of Oxnard, were at her bedside. She was 67 years old, and came to this county eight years ago from Tennessee.

TOTAL FIRE LOSSES.

Forest Ranger Estimates More Than Four Thousand Acres Were Burned Over in Recent Fire.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN JACINTO, Dec. 4.—Forest Ranger Exon makes an official statement to the effect that the total area of the forest fire in the San Jacinto Mountains was 4160 acres, of which 900 acres was patented land, 2200 acres government timber and the remainder government land covered with low brush.

The heavy snowfall on the mountain, which came with this week's storm, effectually extinguished all smoldering fires.

FARMERS' CLUB.

The farmers of the valley have organized for the purpose of advancing their interests by the formation of the Farmers' Club. Dr. Oren B. Waite, supervising principal of the San Jacinto schools, is a member of the advisory board. Dr. J. R. Wilson of Little Lake, formerly president of the Portland, Or., Academy, is president.

Walnut growing and marketing will be discussed at the first regular meeting, which will be held the latter part of the month. Agriculturists and horticulturists are looking forward to the solution of many of their problems through this new organization, and already a membership of 100 is announced.

NEW BEET LANDS.

On the old lake bottom at the west end of the valley the big tractor belonging to W. E. Pedley has been working night and day for the past few weeks preparing a 400-acre tract for the planting of sugar beets. The beet seed will be planted January 1. San Jacinto lands have demonstrated for the past several years that beets can be successfully grown here, but this is the largest individual acreage yet planted. A number of smaller tracts will be planted in that section, making an estimated total of 2000 acres in sugar beets.

GARDENER KILLED IN OFFICER'S YARD.

REVENGE BELIEVED MOTIVE OF SHOOTING AT FRESNO. ALSO A SUICIDE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

FRESNO, Dec. 4.—Joe Di Santis, aged 60, was found murdered shortly after midnight in the backyard of the home of Lewis H. Smith, City Attorney, where he was employed as gardener. Smith's son returning home at midnight saw the body in the back yard. Thinking it an intoxicated man he investigated and discovered it was the body of the gardener. Di Santis had been shot in the head at close range.

Mrs. Smith recalls hearing a report about 6 o'clock in the evening, but thought it was the exhaust from an automobile. Di Santis recently caused the arrest of a young man on suspicion he had stolen property in his possession and the police think the killing was for revenge.

TAKES ALL BLAME.

Taking upon his own shoulders the blame for their domestic strife, Edward A. Daniel, aged 30 years, went to the home of his sister this morning, wrote a farewell note and then swallowed the contents of a bottle of carbolic acid. He died in great agony. The following note was left: "Forgive me all of my wrong doings for I never meant to be mean to you. My mind is gone. Ed."

OFFICIAL CONFIRMATION.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SANTA ANA, Dec. 4.—George McPhee, County Sealer of Weights and Measures, today received a letter from C. G. Johnson, State Superintendent of the Weights and Measures Department, instructing him that goods prepared for shipment in some other State shall not be disturbed if they are marked in accordance with the Federal law. Goods prepared in this State, the sale of which is not to be considered as a part of interstate commerce, must bear the net contents mark.

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San Diego.

SUFFERS MARTYRDOM FOR HIS CONVICTIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN DIEGO, Dec. 4.—For the alleged reason that he gave a speech supporting Capt. John D. Fredericks for Governor during a debate before his fraternity, Donald Wilde, son of Mr. and Mrs. Louis J. Wilde of this city, was subjected to a severe hazing by the Phi Delta Fraternity of the University of California at Berkeley, according to reports reaching here. Blood poisoning set in as a result and young Wilde spent two weeks in the hospital. It is stated by the father that the youth's life was only saved through prompt action of a young physician at the Roosevelt Hospital, Berkeley.

Wilde says he had been subjected to much hazing ever since his speech on November 2. He submitted with good grace until November 23, when he sought to defend himself with a revolver. Then, his father states, he was rushed by the fraternity members, jumped on, kicked and dragged down the frathouse steps. It was while this was done he received the injury, which resulted in blood poisoning.

The young college man's father has visited President Benjamin Ide Wheeler at the university. President Wheeler, so Mr. Wilde asserts, said the faculty had no jurisdiction over the fraternities and sororities and advised that Donald take a year's leave of absence until the thing should blow over. Mr. Wilde objected to this, stating that he had paid for a full term expenses for the boy and intended he should get the benefit of his first year.

Mr. Wilde is a banker of this city. He has retained Milton Schmidt of San Francisco as attorney to see that unbiased investigation is made by the faculty.

Calexico.

MEXICALI BOILS OVER WITH MANY SENSATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CALEXICO, Dec. 4.—While blatant music issued from the dance halls along whisky row in Mexicali tonight the native population prepared for bed with feelings of apprehension. It has been a turbulent day for the little town of turmoil. First, Gen. Cantu, a chief of the military forces of Baja California, at the head of 170 soldiers, marched out of town in the small hours of the morning bound for the relief of Tia Juana.

With the local garrison depleted the fears of the townspeople of attack from some indefinite source were heightened by the rumor which gained circulation that Carranza sympathizers had formed a coalition with Magonistas and Latin I.W.W. malcontents, had converted two Calexico houses into temporary arsenals, and were secretly recruiting on this side of the line.

Jose F. Guajardo, Federal judge at Mexicali, said tonight that formal complaint had been made to Washington.

Then tonight, the perturbed mind of Mexicali was given another twinge when it leaked out that Alfonso Carillo and Enrique Torres, two of six Mayoralty candidates to be voted upon Sunday, had been thrown into jail on charges of conspiracy.

Friends of the men says the charges are trumped up, and that enemies of the two have taken advantage of the situation.

Long Beach.

FINDS DEFECTS IN BUILDINGS.

Schoolhouses Must be Gone All Over Again.

Occult College of Science to be Instituted.

Tourist Plans to Purchase a Valuable Site.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

LONG BEACH, Dec. 4.—Alleged grave defects in the construction of the three new grammar schools almost finished by Contractor J. W. Davidson were found by Architect A. B. Sturges, employed by the Board of Education to inspect the buildings. As a result, some of the work will have to be done over again, and the children now awaiting an opportunity to go to school will have to be put off a few weeks.

Sturges stated the instances in which the contractor had violated the provisions of the specifications. The contractor presented a bill for $2796 for extras. This was trimmed about $300 by the board, Mr. Haskell alone opposing this settlement. The heated session of the board, which lasted until almost midnight, resulted in a determination to get the defects remedied at once, so that waiting children could attend sessions.

OCCULT COLLEGE.

A college of "spooks" is to be established in Long Beach. The "Occult College of Science" it is to be called, and will gather together all the wraiths of this section in the Psychological temple, on Broadway near American avenue. An application will be made to the State for a charter which will permit of the conferring of "theological degrees" to students who are proficient in talking with those who have gone before. The first speakers are to be B. F. Estes and Dr. Harold Palmer, who will speak Sunday morning on "The New Education."

TO BUY SITE.

It is stated that Mrs. Clara Allen, a wealthy tourist from Boston, is negotiating for the purchase of a valuable building site at American avenue and Third street, which will cost her $70,000. It is a part of this rumor that a building costing $100,000 will be erected on the site.

SUNRISE PRAYER.

Christian Endeavorers of the city will gather in special amalgamated session Sunday. There will be a sunrise prayer service at Friends Church at 8:15 a.m., a junior rally at 2:30 p.m. at the First Presbyterian Church, followed by a union meeting, and three general conferences will end the gathering.

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POMONA'S SCHOOL TAXES.

Year's Budget Nearly Hundred Thousand—Patent Medicine Samples Barred.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

POMONA, Dec. 4.—This city will raise by taxation this year, $93,221.02 for conducting its school system and for paying interest and providing sinking funds on the various issues of school bonds. The population of Pomona being computed at 14,000, the per capita cost of school maintenance is therefore $6.60. These figures have been furnished by County Superintendent of Schools Keppel.

The $93,221.02 apportioned for school administration is distributed as follows: For grade school bonds, $8138; for High School bonds, $7398; for kindergarten special, $11,097; for grade school special, $11,057; for High School up-keep, $55,488.

BAR FREE MEDICINE.

City Attorney Guerin has been instructed by the City Council to draft an ordinance preventing the indiscriminate distribution in the city of samples of patent medicines. Objection to the medicine distribution is made upon the recommendation of Dr. Will H. Holmes, City Health Officer, on the ground that several babies and small children have been made ill from partaking of samples, which have been picked up on doorsteps and in door-yards. It is the plan of the health officer to safeguard the health interests of all ages of residents here as carefully as possible.

The health report of Dr. Holmes for the month of November states that with the exception of one case of scarlet fever, Pomona is free from contagious ills.

THIRD DELEGATE NAMED.

Departure for Conference Called by Secretary Lane Deferred Because of Expected Postponement.

[LOCAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

EL CENTRO, Dec. 4.—Leroy Holt was selected as the third delegate of the Imperial irrigation district to go to Washington for the conference called for December 9 by Secretary of the Interior Lane to discuss measures for the control of the Colorado River. The selection was made at a meeting of the board of directors of the district this afternoon.

The other delegates are W. O. Hamilton, its president, and M. W. Conkling. The three representatives were to have left for the East tonight, but the possibility of the date of the conference being postponed deferred their departure. If the change is not made they will leave tomorrow evening.

BONDS ARE BEATEN.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

VISALIA, Dec. 4.—Returns from yesterday's special election on the issuance of a million and a half dollar bonds for the construction of a system of permanent highways in Tulare county, and carrying with it provisions for the completion of the State Highway through this county, show that the bonds failed to receive the necessary two-thirds majority. With three small precincts yet to report the vote stands, 5528 for the bonds and 4022 against. Visalia voted more than four to one for the bonds. Generally speaking, the bond issue was defeated by negative votes along the west side, through which the State Highway was routed by the Highway Commission.

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On one day in November, two manufacturers visited a banking house in New York. One of them manufactures a clay product, the material of which comes from Austria. The other manufactures saddles. In June of this year both these men were getting along only fairly well, the first rather better than the second. Business had been dull, normally, with both of them.

In November the manufacturer of clay products was willing to confess that his business had been practically destroyed and he did not know which way he could turn to revive it unless the war came to a close very soon and he was able to resume the importation of his raw material. The manufacturer of saddles, on the contrary, had just closed a contract that would keep his plant busy for months at its maximum capacity, turning out products sold on the largest profits that he had been able to make in many years. Thus the incident of war, in which neither of these men had had the slightest initiative, had depressed the one and exalted the other.

The incident is of value to the investor if he will apply it to investment matters. There are hundreds of stocks and of bonds afloat in the United States that represent industries subject to the same sort of vicissitudes that came to these two men. It does not always take a war to ruin a prosperous industry, and it does not always take a war to bring suddenly to some struggling industry a period of wealth and affluence. Incidents of a hundred different sorts produce these same results, and the stockholder, or even the bondholder of industrial concerns, is always exposed in greater or lesser degree to sudden changes of fortune, favorable or unfavorable. The war has merely provided a dozen illustrations of a principle which all trained financial students recognize, but which the public seems always bound to ignore. It is said that once, after Andrew Carnegie had sold out his steel interests in this country, he remarked to a friend that the steel business would always be either a prince or a pauper. By that he meant that the success of the business depended upon so many indefinite circumstances which could not be foretold, and that the difference between great prosperity and poverty would depend upon a small margin of chance. What is true of the greatest industrial industries is also true of the smallest, and it would seem likely, to some extent, that the element of chance grows larger as the industry grows smaller. One might say that in the great staple industries it takes almost an economic revolution to destroy established lines of manufacture, or to bring it about that they suddenly become extraordinarily prosperous. In the small manufacturing trade, on the contrary, like the making of patented specialties, trade-marked products, or products made from secret formulae, a little change like a new patent, new formula, or a new [illegible] in the trade, may make one company and break another. [illegible] the risk as well as the chance for [illegible] profits is multiplied as one goes down the industrial scale.

The gist of experience, then, is that if one look for safety, one is most likely to find it in perfection in the stocks or bonds that represent ownership in industry. This is in no sense a criticism of industrial investment. Most of the great fortunes [illegible] and every other country were made by successful ventures in industrial fields, and probably they always will be; but it is coming to be an established principle in investment that the fundamental idea of investment is not so much to make money as to save it and keep it working at a normal rate of income.

To the speculator, the whole incident of the closed Stock Exchange and the suspended animation of the market has been a great shock and an extraordinary experience. Also a curious variation in the prices of stocks that were effected by the unnatural conditions has given to the speculator a sort of a feeling that he knows nothing at all about stocks. In ordinary times the trained speculator convinces himself that he can follow more or less definitely the fluctuations in prices, but when these fluctuations depend on such a thing as this war, with the result in economic [illegible] throughout the world, the ordinary rules of speculation fail utterly.

[illegible], as one result of the war, a great many men who have delighted to put their money in speculation will find it safer if less exciting field of investment; but on the contrary, it may work just the other way and the [illegible] of new speculation may start with the end of the war.

CLEARINGS FOR THE WEEK.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Bank clearings in the United States for the week ending December 3, as reported to Bradstreet's Journal, aggregate $3,094,135,-[illegible], against $2,174,623,000 last week and [illegible]7,533,000 in this week last year. Canadian clearings aggregate [illegible], as against $140,718,000 last week and $210,361,000 in this week last year. Following are the returns for this week with percentages of change from this week last year:

[illegible]

Grain.

DROUGHT TALK HELPS WHEAT.

SITUATION IN WESTERN STATES CAUSES UNEASINESS.

Leading Authority Declares Crop in Kansas and Nebraska has been Unfavorably Affected—Export Buying also Helps Bulls. Corn and Oats Close Higher.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4.—Export buying and a good deal of uneasiness about harm from prolonged dry weather in the domestic winter crop belt ran up prices today in the wheat market here. The outcome was a strong close at 1@1⅛ to 2¼ above last night. Other leading staples, too, all scored a net gain—corn, ⅛@¼ to ½; oats, ⅜@½ to ⅞, and provisions 10@15. Notwithstanding wheat traders were almost evenly divided in opinion at first it was not long before a large majority had swung to the bull side of the market. Drought in Western Kansas and Nebraska received more attention than heretofore in the wheat pit. According to a leading authority there was no doubt that the growing crop had been unfavorably affected. Export sales finally turned corn upward with wheat. Liberal receipts, however, acted as a heavy drag on the market most of the day. Oats moved higher with other grain and because of a moderate renewal of European call. Rising prices for hogs carried provisions upgrade. There was free buying on the part of shorts, mainly in lard and ribs.

CLOSING.

Wheat — December, 1.16½; May, 1.21⅝. Corn—December, 63⅝; May, 69. Oats—December, 47⅞; May, 52¼. Pork—January, 18.15; May, 18.60. Lard—January, 9.75; May, 10.00. Ribs—January, 9.80; May, 10.12.

CASH GRAIN.

Corn—No. 2, yellow, new, 64; No. 3, yellow, new, 61¾@62¾. Rye—No. 2, 1.10@1.11. Barley—59@75. Timothy—3.75@5.50. Clover—12.00@14.50.

Chicago Grain Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

CHICAGO, Dec. 4. — Following are the opening, highest, lowest and closing quotations:

[illegible]

*Bid. **Asked.

Local Grain Market.

Following are quotations furnished by the Grain Exchange. All commodities are sacked unless otherwise specified, and are f.o.b. Los Angeles.

Utah white milling wheat		$1.97½
Utah Turkey milling	$2.05	
Utah red wheat		1.95
Northern Turkey		1.90
Bluestem mill		2.15
No. 1 club		1.95
Sonora		1.95
Red Russian		1.90
Local bright barley		1.22½
Local dark barley		1.20
Utah bright barley		1.27½
Utah dark barley		1.25
Utah white oats		1.62½
Portland standard oats		1.65
Texas oats	1.95	2.03
Eastern corn	1.53	1.56
Argentine corn		1.60
Egyptian corn		1.47½
Milo maize		1.42½
Utah white bran		28.50
Utah mixed bran		27.50
Utah red bran		26.50
Local white bran		28.50
Local red bran		27.50
Northern bran		26.00
White oats, chopped		19.50

New York Bond Market.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Closing quotations:

[illegible]

New York Curb Stocks.

[illegible]

Boston Curb Stocks.

[Furnished by Logan & Bryan, Members New York and Boston Stock Exchanges, Bradbury Bldg., Los Angeles.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—

[illegible]

Salt Lake Stock Exchange.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

SALT LAKE, Dec. 4.—Closing bid and asked quotations:

[illegible]

New York Oil Stocks.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Closing quotations:

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NEVADA MINING STOCKS. CLOSING PRICES AND SALES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

SAN FRANCISCO BUREAU OF THE TIMES, Dec. 4.—Stocks:

[illegible]

SALES.

Regular session: Atlanta, 100 at .37, 1000 at .36; Blue Bell, 1000 at .05, 1000 at .06; Blue Bull reorg., 5000 at .05, 2000 at .04; Booth reorg., 5000 at .11; Cash Boy Con., 5000 at .04; C.O.D., 4500 at .07; Combination Fraction, 200 at .10, 3500 at .11; Conqueror Con., 2000 at .03; Crackerjack, 2000 at .02; Diamondfield Daisy, 2000 at .06; Florence, 150 at .57; Goldfield Con., 80 at 1.60; 2000 at 1.72½; 400, 1.75; Goldfield Merger, 3000 at .37; Grandma, 8000 at .06; 11,000 at .07; Great Bend, 2000 at .08; Halifax, 500 at .35; Jumbo Extension, 3300 at 2.40; Kewanas, 1000 at .17, 2000 at .18, 1500 buyer 30, at 19; Lone Star Con., 1000 at .08; MacNamara, 6000 at .06; Nevada Hills, 2000 at .35; Oro, 3000 at .11; Red Hills, 9000 at .03; Rescue Eula, 3000 at .09, 1000 at .08; Sandstorm Kendall, 10,500 at .08; Silver Pick Con., 1000 at .17, 3000 at .16; Spearhead Gold, 4000 at .18; Tonopah Merger, 1000 at .41, 5000 at .40; Yellow Tiger, 2000 at .05.

Informal sessions: Atlanta, 100 at .37, 1000 at .35, 3000 at .35, 2000 at .34, 3000 at .35, 3000 at .35, 2500 at .40, 1000 at .41, 1500 at .41, 2000 at .42, 1000 at .42, 5000 at .42, 2500 at .44, 3000 at .45, 2000 at .48, 3000 at .48, 3000 at .48, 1000 at .49, 2000 at .50, 2000 at .49, 1000 at .48, 1000 at .47, 5000 at .48, 2000 at .47, 2000 at .46, 3000 at .47, 3500 at .48, 3000 at .47, 1000 at .47, 1000 at .47; Blue Bell, 500 at .06, 1000 at .05, 1000 at .05, 2000 at .05; Blue Bull reorg., 8000 at .05, 2000 at .04, 7000 at .04, 5000 at .04, 2000 at .04, 10,000 at .05, 20,000 at .05, 15,000 at .05, 2000 at .06, 1000 at .06, 3000 at .06, 5000 at .06; Booth reorg., 5000 at .10, 1000 at .10, 1000 at .10, 3500 at .10, 1000 at .11, 1000 at .13, 5000 at .12, 3000 at .11; Cash Boy Con., 4000 at .05; C.O.D., 8000 at .08, 1000 at .07, 2000 at .07, 5000 at .06, 500 at .09, 3000 at .09; Combination Fraction, 5000 at .11, 1000 at .10, 12,000 at .10, 5000, buyer 30, at .13; 2000 at .11, 2000 at .12, 1000 at .12; Diamondfield Black Butte, 12,000 at .04, 4000 at .04; Florence, 100 at .65, 100 at .65; Goldfield Con., 500 at 1.75, 500 at 1.75, 100 at 1.85, 300 at 1.80; Goldfield Merger, 1000, seller 5, at .37, 1000 at .36, 1000 at .34, 3000 at .33, 5000 at .33, 500 at .34, 500 at .33, 2000 at .33, 2000 at .34, 1000 at .36, 1000 at .35, 2000 at .36, 1000 at .36, 4000 at .36, 1000 at .37, 6000 at .38, 4500 at .39, 2000 at .38, 3000 at .39, 1000 at .40, 2000 at .40, 2000 at .40, 8000 at .40; Grandma, 4000 at .06, 1000 at .06; Great Bend, 1000 at .07; Jim Butler, 1000 at 75; Jumbo Extension, 1500 at 2.40, 4000 at 2.37½, 500 at 2.37½, 2000 at 2.40, 100, buyer 10, at 2.42½; 1300 at 2.30, 600 at 2.27½, 1500 at 2.27½, 500 at 2.20, 1200 at 2.20, 500 at 2.25, 100 at 2.32½, 200 at 2.35, 2800 at 2.40; Kewanas, 2000 at .18, 500 at .19, 2000, buyer 30, at .19, 2000 at .18, 5000 at .17, 2000 at .18, 4000 at .17, 1000 at .18, 5000 at .18, 3000 at .17, 1000 at .17, 2000 at .16, 1500 at .16, 4000 at .17, 1000 at .20, 1000 at .19, 1000 at .20, 2000 at .19, 1000 at .20, 1000 at .21, 1000 at .21; Lone Star, 1000 at .08, 1000 at .08, 5000 at .07, 2000 at .08, 1000 at .07, 4000 at .06, 28,500 at .06, 12,000 at .07; MacNamara, 2000 at .06, 1000 at .06; Nevada Hills, 100 at .35, 600 at .35, 1500 at .37; Oro, 1000 at .11, 2000 at .10, 2000 at .10, 1000 at .14, 3000 at .15; Red Top Ex., 5000 at .02; Red Hills, 2000 at .01; Rescue Eula, 4000 at .08, 3000 at .08, 3000 at .08; Round Mountain, 1000 at .35; Sandstorm Kendall, 1000 at .08, 8000 at .08, 2000 at .09, 4000 at .10, 3000 at .12, 5000 at .12, 5000 at .13, 4000 at .14, 1000 at .14; Silver Pick Con., 3000 at .16, 1000 at .16, 1000, buyer 30, at .17, 2000 at .15, 1000 at .14, 1000 at .14, 7500 at .15, 2000 at .16, 2000 at .18, 1000 at .18, 2000 at .18; Spearhead Gold, 1000 at .17, 2000 at .16, 5000 at .17, 3000 at .17, 500 at .15, 1000 at .17, 3000 at .18, 1000 at .19, 2000 at .20, 2000 at .20, 1000 at .21, 7000 at .21, 5000 at .20, 500 at .22; Tonopah Merger, 500 at .39, 1000 at .38; Yellow Tiger, 1000 at .05; 4000, buyer 30, at .06, 2000 at .05, 1000 at .06.

Account sales: Jumbo Extension, 500 at 2.50; Sandstorm Kendall, 1000 at .08.

On informal yesterday read Lone Star Con., 2000 at .08, 5000 at .07.

New York Coffee Market.

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California Oil Stocks.

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New York Dairy Market.

[illegible]

New York Sugar Market.

[illegible]

Chicago Live Stock Market.

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Chicago Stock Market.

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FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES, Los Angeles, Dec. 5, 1914.

Bank clearings yesterday were $3,096,173.40, a decrease of $1,392,678.60, compared with the same day last year, and a decrease of $1,004,684.78, compared with the same day in 1912.

	1914.	1913.	1912.
Monday	$3,174,104.57	$4,535,646.85	$4,654,906.42
Tuesday	3,539,336.92	4,190,874.91	4,785,175.14
Wednesday	4,528,979.17	4,769,042.72	5,187,081.02
Thursday	3,407,077.19	5,387,765.34	5,374,296.46
Friday	3,096,173.40	4,488,852.00	4,100,858.18

New York Money Market.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Closing: Mercantile paper, 4½@5. Sterling exchange, easy; sixty-day bills, 4.86; for cables, 4.88 65-100; for demand, 4.86¼. Bar silver, 49⅝. Call money, easy; high, 3½; low, 3¼; ruling rate, 3¼; closing bid, 3; offered at 3¼.

SPOT COTTON. NEW ORLEANS QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW ORLEANS, Dec. 4.—New Orleans spot cotton market today: Low ordinary, 4 3-16; ordinary, 4 3-16; good ordinary, 5 11-16; good ordinary S.T.P., 6 3-16; low middling, 6 11-16; strict low middling, 6 15-16; middling, 7 3-16; strict middling, 7 7-16; good middling, 7 13-16; strict good middling, 8 3-16; middling fair, 8 11-16; middling fair to fair, 8 15-16; fair, 9 3-16. Sales, 980 bales; to arrive, 3640 bales. Tone of market, steady.

New York Cotton Market.

[Furnished by E. F. Hutton & Co., Members New York Stock Exchange, 118 West Fourth street, Los Angeles.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Bearish cables and small spot sales in the foreign market were responsible for the lower opening here today. Business continues very light, with an improvement in the tone. Prices became quite steady and offerings were scarce and not sufficient to meet the small investment demand. Efforts to get cotton into Germany are still made. This cotton is selling at fancy prices. Spot cotton is reported in fair demand today at important interior points, but as there is no scarcity in the supply the call will have to be broader and more pronounced before engaging marked attention. The future market looks better than in some time and considerable distressed cotton is being absorbed by hedge selling.

COMMERCIAL.

The rise of onions has been rather a startling feature of the market during the past few days, owing to the very heavy crop harvested in California and to the general opinion that few changes would come to the onion prices this winter. Onions last year at this time were selling at $2.75 a hundred. It was figured that the market this season would not even reach the $2 mark, but with the 25-cent raise yesterday, a third of that size in a week, it looks very much as if some prognosticators have been in the wrong. The latest price on Yellow Danvers and Australian Browns is $1.75, while on the few White Globes that are still obtainable a $3 quotation has been set. The principal reason for the advance is the demand from the Middle West and East for California onions and not the home consumption. The demand has arisen because European countries are buying heavily of eastern onions and depleting the supply there. There has also been a good demand at home on this product, and throughout the State advances are being reported. Receipts of the product here yesterday were 913 sacks.

Potatoes have also begun to feel the demand from the East and the quotations were a little higher on river and Idaho stock in the morning. Receipts during the week have been light and only 810 sacks were reported in yesterday. Several cars were diverted through Los Angeles to Arizona points. Sweet potato receipts were 276 sacks and the market on these is a trifle higher in the north and unchanged here.

The market on eggs, both here and in the north, was lower. Case count were offered at 38 cents and no higher price was obtainable at the close of the exchange session. Receipts were 175 cases. Butter receipts were [illegible] pounds and the market was unchanged. Cheese activities were largely confined to eastern cream and some northern fresh. Receipts were 8030 pounds.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Prices Current.

Following are jobbing quotations unless otherwise specified:

EGGS—Fresh ranch, case count, 38; candled, 42; Petaluma-Santa Rosa extras, 42½; northern, case count, 41½.

BUTTER—Creamery extras, 30 per lb.; firsts, 28; country, 23; ladies, 22. The jobbing price is from 3 to 4 cents higher than above quotations.

CHEESE—California fresh, 14½@15; eastern daisies, 18@18½; eastern twins, 17@17½; longhorns, 18@18½; Oregon triplets, 17@17½; imported Swiss, 38@40; domestic Swiss, block, 20@21; Limburger, 20@22; Edam, 8.00@8.50; Sierra, 1.10@1.20; Canada cream, 95@1.00; Roquefort, 38@40; German breakfast, 90; cream brick, 19@20.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navels, 2.25@2.35; lemons, packed, 2.65@2.75; loose, 2.00@2.25; juice, 1.25@1.50; grapefruit, seedless, 2.50@2.75; tangerines, 1.75@1.90 per box; limes, 75@1.00 basket.

FRESH FRUIT—Apples, Bellefleurs, 90@1.00; Jonathans, Oregon, 1.35@1.50; Washington, 1.50@1.65; Utah, 1.35@1.50; Spitzenbergs, 1.25@1.35; Roman Beauties, 1.35@1.50; Pearmains, 75@90; bananas, 3½@4; pineapples, 6@6½; casabas, 1.40@1.65 per dozen; watermelons, 1½@2 lb.; figs, 1.85@2.10 per two-layer box; grapes, per lug box: Tokays, 1.35@1.50; Red Emperors, 1.40@1.60; Cornichons, 1.25@1.30; Malagas, 1.25@1.35 per crate; Winter Nellis, 1.50 per lug; 2.50 per packed box; Flemish per lug; 2.50 per packed box; quinces, 75@85 per lug; persimmons, 4@8 per lb.; pomegranates, 1.60@1.80 per box.

BERRIES—Strawberries, 7@9 basket; cranberries, Late Howe, 9.00@9.25; guavas, 3@4 per basket.

GREEN VEGETABLES—These quotations are for first-class shipping stock: Beets, 30@35 doz.; carrots, 30@35 doz.; oyster plant, 30@35 doz.; turnips, 30@35 doz.; leeks, 35@40 doz.; parsnips, 25@30 doz.; peas, 7@10 lb.; spinach, 20 doz.; cabbage, 65@75; lettuce, 1.00@1.20 crate; escarole, 40 doz.; green onions, 15@20 doz.; mint, 35@40 doz.; artichokes, 75@1.00 doz.; peppers, 3@5; chile peppers, 4@5 per lb.; rhubarb, 80@85 per box; cucumbers, hothouse, 75@1.50; horseradish, 15@16; summer squash, 60@75 per lug; crookneck squash, 35@45; Hubbard squash, 1¼@1½ lb.; tomatoes, 75@85 lug; celery, northern, 2.00@2.25 a crate; local, 1.65@1.75 crate; string beans, 6@9; lima beans, 5@6; eggplant, 4@6; cauliflower, 50@60 per doz.; okra, 9@10; pumpkins, 1½@2 lb.

POTATOES — Northern Burbanks, 1.25@1.30 per cwt.; Shimas, 1.35@1.45; Salinas, 1.90@2.00; Lompocs, 1.90@2.00; Idaho spuds, 1.25@1.35; sweets, 75@85 lug; 1.50@1.65 cwt.

BEANS—Pink, No. 1, 4.15@4.25; Lady Washington, 5.15@5.25; small whites, 4.90@5.00; Limas, No. 1, 5.00@5.75; Garvanzas, 6.00@7.50; black [illegible], 4.90@5.25; lentils, 8.00@9.00.

RICE—Per 100 lbs.; head, 5.50@6.00; blue rose head, 5.25@5.50; Japanese, 4.50@4.75; California, 4.75@5.00; Siam, 5.00; broken, 3.50@3.75.

ONIONS AND CHILE—Strings, 15; loose, 14; chile tepins, 1.00 lb.; ground chile, 10@12; Japanese, 16; corn husks, 10; do., cut, 12; onions, White Globes, 2.75@3.00 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 1.65@1.75; Yellow Danvers, 1.60@1.75; garlic, 14@16.

HONEY — Comb, fancy water white, 14; white, 12; light amber, 11; extracted, light amber, 5½; white, 6; water white, 7; beeswax, 32 per lb.

DRIED FRUITS—(25-lb. boxes; faced 50s, ½c less.) Apples, evaporated, 50s, choice, 6¼@6½; ex. choice, 7; fancies, 7½; apricots, choice, 8½; extra choice, 9; fancy, 10. Currants, bulk, bbls., 10½; 60 16-oz. packages 11½; 50 12-oz. packages, 8½. Nectarines, 12½; pears, 8@12; plums, 10; peaches, choice, 5½; fancy, 6; prunes, 20-30s, 17; 30-40s, 11; 40-50s, 9¼@9½; 50-60s, 8½; 60-70s, 8¼; 70-80s, 7¾; 80-90s, 6½; 90-100s, 5¾; figs, 1.25 10-lb. layer box.

RAISINS, FIGS AND DATES—Raisins, seeded, 36 16-oz., choice, 7@8; fancy, 7¼@8¼; 45 12-oz., choice, 6@6½; Not-a-seed, 36 16-oz., 8¾; 2-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 6; 3-crown, loose, 50-lb. box, 6¼; 4-crown loose, 50-lb. box, 7½; Sultana, unbleached, 6¼; bleached seedless, 11½@12; Thompson seedless, 36 1s, 8½@9; 2-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.45@1.55 box; 3-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 1.75 box; 4-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.00 box; 5-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 2.50@2.75 box; 6-crown, L.L., 20 lbs., 3.00@3.25 box. Figs, white, 12 12-oz. cartons, 85; do., 16-oz. cartons, 90; do., 12 16-oz. cartons, 1.10; do., 50 6-oz. cartons, 1.80; loose, black, 25-lb. box, 6@6½ lb.; loose, white, 25-lb. box, 8½@9 lb.; imported, 18@20 lb. Dates, Golden, 60-lb. boxes, new, 7½ lb.; Golden, pkgs., 9 lb.; Fards, 60-lb. boxes, 11 lb.; Fards, 12s, 12½@13 lb.

NUTS—New Almonds, fancy, IXL, 21@22; Ne Plus Eltra, 20@21; thinshell Drakes, 15@16; hardshells, 14@15; cocoanuts, per dozen; filberts, 15; pecans, large, 17; peanuts, California raw, 6; eastern, 7½; Japan, 7½; rice corn, 5.00@5.25; walnuts, budded, 21½@22; jumbos, 19½@20; softshell, No. 1, 17@18; softshell, No. 2, 14; unbleached, 13@14.

POULTRY — Prices to producers: Broilers, 24; fryers, 20; roasters, 15; old cocks, 9; hens, 15@18; turkeys, 18@20; ducks, 17, geese, 14; squabs, pigeons, doz., 2.00.

Provision List.

LIVE STOCK—(Furnished by Pacific Coast Beef and Provision Company:) Steers, 6½@7; heifers, 5½@6; cows, 5@5½; bulls, 4@4½; wethers, 4.25@4.50; ewes, 4.00@4.25; lambs, 3.50@4.00; yearlings, 4.25@4.50; hogs, 7.00@8.00.

LAMBS — Lambs, plain, 15; do., caul, 14½; lamb racks, 19; trimmed lambs, 18; fore lambs, 13; hind lambs, 17; loins, 19; legs, 14; shoulder and breast, 12; No. 2 lambs, 14.

MUTTON — Yearlings, 12; wethers, 12; ewes, 11; racks, 14; legs, 13; loins, 14½; saddles, 12½; trimmed mutton, 13½; fore quarters, mutton, 9½; shoulder and breast, 9; No. 2 mutton wether, 11; No. 2 mutton ewes, 10; tongues, each, 2½; plux, each, 8; heads, skinned, each, 8; brains, each, 5; hearts, each, 2½.

BEEF — (Furnished by Cudahy Packing Company:) No. 1 steers, 12; medium steers, 11¾; No. 1 cows, 11½; medium cows, 11¼; steer hind quarters, No. 1, 13; do., medium, 12½; cows, hind quarters, 12; fore quarters, 10½; do., kosher, 10; good bulls, 10; No. 2 bulls, 9½; short loins, 17; pin bone loins, 18; loins, No. 1, 15; do., medium, 14; cow loins, 13; ribs, No. 1 8-rib cut, 14; do., 7-rib cut, 16; ribs, medium, 13; cow ribs, 13; loin butts, 14; short chux, 10½; full chux, 10¼; triangles, 10; plates, 9½; steer rounds and rumps, 13; do., rumps off, 14; do., butt on, 13½; heifer rounds, 12½; tenderloins, fresh, 30; do., frozen, 25; shoulder clods, 16; boned chux, 12@12½; shanks, 5; flank steak, 15; whole flanks, 11; do., fat off, 12½; beef suet, 10; cod fat, 8; sweetbreads, fresh, 25; do., frozen, 10-lb. tins, 25; fresh tongues, 17; pickled tongues, 18; cooked tripe, 4; cleaned tripe, 3; hearts, 8; livers, fresh, 10; do., frozen, 10; ox tails, fresh, each, 8½; do., frozen, lb., 8; brains, each, 8; kidneys, each, 8; feet, 10; heads (barbecue,) each, 3.00.

VEAL—120 lbs. and under, 17; 121 to 150 lbs., 16½; 151 lbs. and up, 16; sides 60 lbs. and under, 17; 61 to 80 lbs., 16½; 81 lbs. and up, 16; hinds, 45 lbs. and under, 20; do., 46 lbs. and up, 19; fore quarters, 45 lbs. and under, 13; do., 46 lbs. and up, 12.

PORK—Dressed hogs, head on, 14; do., heads off, 15; trimmed hogs, 16½; loins, fresh, 20½; do., Diamond C, frozen, short, 20; legs, fresh, 15½; shoulders, fresh, 13½; picnics, fresh, 12½; butts, 13@14½; bellies, 17; leaf lard, 12; trimmings, 12; tenderloins, fresh, 35; do., 10-lb. tins, frozen, 32½; spare ribs, 13; do., frozen, 12; heads, per lb., 7; backfat, 11½; tails, 9; do., frozen, 9; neck bones, 6; pigs' feet, 4; hearts, per lb., 8; livers, each, 5; kidneys, per lb., 6; tongues, per lb., 10; snouts, per lb., 5; ears, per lb., 3½; chitterlings, 5; brains, each, 2; jowls, 10.

HAMS—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers.) Extra fancy, 20½; fancy, 19½; medium, 18½; smoked and boiled, fancy, 30½; fancy boiled, 30½; medium boiled, 29½; boneless, 31½; picnics, boned and tied, 15½.

BACON—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 4-6, 30; 6-8, 29; extra fancy, 6-8, 26@26½; 8-10, 25; 10-12, 24½; medium, 8-10, 24½; 10-12, 23½; 12-14, 22; narrow, 22; strips, 16½; backs, 19; briskets, 15½.

LARD—(Following quotations are based on grades furnished by leading packers:) Extra fancy, 14; fancy, 13; medium, 12@12½; suetene in tierces, 10; shortening, 12½; lard compound, 8½.

SAUSAGE—Fresh pork, links, 14; fresh pork, bulk, 14; Clubhouse, 14; Spanish style pork, 14½; garlic, 12½; blood, 11½; liver, 11½; headcheese in casings, 11½; sour headcheese in 4-lb. blocks, 13; Frankfurt sausage, 13; bologna, 11½; bologna in paraffine sacks, 11½; Coney Island, Frankfurt style, 13; Metwurst, 16; minced sausage in bladders, 15½; minced sausage in bungs, 15½; luncheon loaf with tongue, 21; Berlin style, 17.

SUMMER SAUSAGE — *Margherita Milano salami, 29; *Salami, Italian style, 28; *Italian cervelat, 25; *American cervelat, 23; *salami, German style, 26; *American salami, German style, 24; farmer style, 21; Holsteiner, 20*.

*Above in case lots, 1 cent less.

SALT AND SMOKED MEATS—D. S. bellies, 15; D. S. fat backs, 12½; D. S. clear backs, 14; D. S. extras, 15; smoked butts, 20; backs, 20; beef, tongues, 19; do., smoked, 32; insides, 31; outsides, 23.

PICKLED MEATS—Pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; do., ¼ bbls., 2.75; do., ½ bbls., 5.25; do., bbls., 12.50; H. C. tripe, kits, 1.15; do., ¼ bbls., 2.60; do., ½ bbls., 5.00; do., bbls., 12.00; lamb tongues, kits, 2.50; ¼ bbls., 6.00; ½ bbls., 12.75; bbls., 32.00; plate beef, ½ bbls., 10.00; bbls., 19.00.

SUGAR—Prices quoted below are for Los Angeles. Pomona country list is 5c higher; Colton city list is 20c higher; Colton country list is 17½c higher. Prices are based on sacks; bbls. add 10c; ¼ bbls., 25c and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices are net cash, less 25 cents per cwt. 15 days. Beet, gran., 5.70; standard cane, 5.90; standard berry, 5.90; cubes, (sacks,) 6.15; cubes, (5-lb. boxes,) 6.45; candy gran., 6.05; powdered, 6.00; Cons. A., 5.90; extra C, 5.40; Golden C, 5.30; D, 5.20; Dominoes, 5s, 10.20; Dominoes, 2s, 10.60; Superior, 7x, powdered, bbls., 6.65; Superior, 7x, powdered, ½ bbls., 6.80; Superior, 7x, powdered, 30-lb. boxes, 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar, bbls., 7.05; Superior, 7x, bar, ½ bbls., 7.20; Superior, 7x, bar, 35-lb. tins, 8.75; Superior, 7x, 30-lb. boxes, 7.55.

SALT—(San Pedro Salt Co.) Blue Cross, cartons, 48 2s, 1.60; do., cartons, 20 5s, 1.40; Angelus, bales, all sizes, 1.65; Blue Cross table salt, 150-lb. bales, 75 2s, 50 3s, 30 5s, 15 10s, 6 25s, bale, 1.75; Blue Cross dairy, 50s, 16.00 ton; Angelus dairy, 50s, 15.00 ton; Wilmington table, 50s, 15.00 ton; ½ ground and ice cream, 50s, 10.00 ton; do., 10s, 9.50 ton; rock, 50s, 10.00 ton; do., 100s, 9.50 ton; hide, 167s, 8.75 ton. Kansas Salt, R.S.V.P., 20 5s, 2.90; do., 36 2s, 2.50; Purity, 28 2s, 200; Seal, 36 2s, 1.35; Wyandotte, 62 3s, 3.20 bale; 54 3½s, 3.25 bale; 23 8s, 3.25 bale; 18 10s, 2.95 bale; 125 3s, 6.25 bale; 25 10s, 5.95 bale; Riverside or Perfection, 86 1⅝s, 2.50 bale; 38 4s, 2.40 bale; 15 10s, 2.25 bale; ice cream, 20 10s, 3.00 bale; Ashland dairy, 50s, 28.00 ton; lump, 280s, 3.00 bbl.; kiln dried, 50s, 65; lump, rock stock, 25.00 ton. Quantity prices, one or assorted, miscellaneous sale: White Crystal, 36 2s, 1.35 case; do., 15 5s, 1.15 case. (One case free with 5.) Shaker, 24 pkgs., 1.80; Sunflower, 50 shakers, 1.55; D. C. table, 24 3s, 2.10; Diamond Crystal, 30 8s, 5.23; do., 100 3s, 5.50; do., 200 1½s, 5.75; D. C. cooking, 24 3s, 1.80; Worcester brand, Ivory salt, 24 2½ cartons, 1.75; bbls., 100 3-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 70 4-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 60 5-lb. sacks, 5.00; do., 20 ½-lb. sacks, 4.75; do, 30 10-lb. sacks, 4.75.

GRAIN AND FEED — Per 100 lbs.: Alfalfa meals, 1.20; alfalfa molasses, 1.25; granulated, 2.65; bone meals, 1.90; blood meals, 2.45; XXXX beef scraps, 3.10; barley, rolled, 1.40; charcoal, 2.30; XXXX chick feed, 3.10; do., bale of 20 5-lb. bags, 3.00; corn, eastern whole, 2.30; corn, whole, yellow, 2.20; whole white corn, 2.80; corn, cracked, 2.25; XXXX dry mash, (a superior egg food,) per 90-lb. sacks, Kaffir corn, 2.20; Egyptian corn, 1.80; 2.00; grit, granite, 80; mill, 3.15; red feed oats, 1.95; white feed oats, 1.90; rolled oats, 1.95; feed meal, 2.30; cheap oats, 1.75; clam shells, 65; oyster shell, 1.30; scratch feed, 95@2.20; bran, 1.55; shorts, 1.85; No. 1 wheat, 100-lb. sacks, 2.25; milo maize, 1.85; oilcake meals, 2.05; rye seed, 1.95; cracked, 2.20.

WHEAT FLOUR.—Quoted by bbls.: Capitol Milling Co.: Capitol, 7.00; Aurora, 6.30; Trophy, 5.20; No. 1 hard bakers' 6.80; bakers' extra bd. and Cal. wheat blend, 6.60; Our Giant, 6.50; Eclipse, 6.00. Los Angeles Milling Co., Forex, 7.00 per bbl.; Purity, 6.30; Morning Glory, 5.10; Just Right, bakers' flour, 6.80; Forex bakers' extras, 6.60; bakers' pastry, 6.00.

Cornmeal, white	3.80	3.60	3.50	3.40
Cornmeal, yellow	3.60	3.40	3.30	3.20
Graham flour	3.80	3.60	3.50	3.40
Buckwheat flour	5.15	4.95	4.85	4.75
Rye flour or meal	3.90	3.70	3.60	3.50
Oatmeal, steel cut	5.30	5.10	5.00	4.90
Oatmeal, ground	5.30	5.10	5.00	4.90
Hominy, large, small	4.30	4.10	4.00	3.90
Cracked wheat	4.30	4.10	4.00	3.90
Entire wheat flour	3.90	3.70	3.60	3.50
Pearl barley	6.80	6.60	6.50	6.40
Split peas, yellow	7.90	7.70	7.60	7.50
Split peas, green	7.90	7.70	7.60	7.50
Farina	4.40	4.20	4.10	4.00
Nutri Germ	4.80	4.60	4.50	4.40

HAY—Alfalfa, 10.00@13.00 a ton; barley hay, 12.00@16.00; tame oat hay, 13.00@16.00; timothy hay, 14.00@17.00; wheat hay, 10.00@14.00; straw, 6.00@9.00.

Oil List.

Pearl Oil or Union, water white iron bbls. and wagons	$ .09
Pearl oil or Union, water white, cases, 5s	.16
Elaine oil, cases, 2 5s	.26½
Eocene oil, cases, 2 5s	.19
Aurora Headlight in cases	.19
V. M. & P. naphtha, iron bbls., drums	.12½
V. M. & P. naphtha, cases, 2 5s	.19½
Red Crown and Union gasoline, iron bbls. and tank wagons	.12½
Red Crown and Union gasoline, cases, 2 5s	.19½
Union benzine, iron bbls and tank wagons	.11½
G. M. gasoline, in bbls.	.37
G. M. gasoline, in cases	.44½
Union G. M. gasoline, in bbls. or tank wagons	.33
Union G. M. gasoline, in cases	.40
Engine distillate, cases, 2 5s	.06
Linseed oil, raw, in bbls.	.57
Linseed oil, raw, in cases, 2 5s	.62
Linseed oil, boiled, in bbls.	.59
Linseed oil, boiled, in cases	.64
Turpentine, in iron bbls	.62
Turpentine, in cases	.69

California Dried Fruits.

[BY A. P. NIGHT WIRE.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—Evaporated apples—Steady. Prunes—Firm. Apricots and peaches—Quiet. Raisins—Firm.

DAILY EASTERN CITRUS MARKET QUOTATIONS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

NEW YORK, Dec. 4.—One car Valencias, one navels, one lemons sold. Market unchanged on Valencias, steady on lemons. Weather fair.

VALENCIAS.

	Avge.
Geo. Washington, O. R., Tustin	$4.20
Martha Washigton, O. R., Tustin	3.35

NAVELS.

Heart, Merryman F. L. & L. Co.	$3.65

LEMONS.

Blue Hussar, O. K. Ex.	$2.50
Green Hussar	2.50

All vent.

Philadelphia Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PHILADELPHIA, Dec. 4.—No California citrus fruit sold. Cold. Eighteen cars of Floridas sold. Prices low on Floridas account condition of fruit. All arrivals showing decay.

Florida oranges sold from 75 cents to $4.15, averaging $1.80 per box.

Florida grapefruit sold $1.30 to $2.80, averaging $1.65 per box.

Boston Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

BOSTON, Dec. 4.—One car lemons sold. Clear and cool. Market is unchanged.

LEMONS.

Dan Patch, S. B., Bloomington	$2.50
Canna, S. B., Bloomington	3.15
Pony, S. B., Bloomington	2.15
Cosmos, S. B., Bloomington	2.50

St. Louis Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

ST. LOUIS, Dec. 4.—Raining. Cold. Market is easier on lemons. Two cars lemons sold.

LEMONS.

	Avge.
Dandy, A. H., Riv.	$1.85
Lemon Tree	2.10
Palm Tree	1.95
Commercial	1.70
Joy, Windermere Ranch	2.05
Economy	1.80

Pittsburgh Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

PITTSBURGH, Dec. 4.—One car California navels, one car lemons sold. Cool.

NAVELS.

	Avge.
Dolores, C. C. Ex., Lindsay	$2.80
Waukeen, C. C. Ex., Lindsay	2.55

LEMONS.

Cornet	$2.20
Alpine	1.40

Cincinnati Market.

[BY DIRECT WIRE—EXCLUSIVE DISPATCH.]

CINCINNATI, Dec. 4.—Cool, raining. Market is declining. Sold eight cars Florida oranges, one car grapefruit. No California fruit sold.

Florida oranges sold from 85 cents to $2.05, averaging $1.40.

Florida grapefruit sold $1.00 to $1.95, averaging $1.60.

SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA CITRUS FRUIT SHIPMENTS.

	Oranges.	Lemons.	Tl.
December 3	20	18	38
Total to date this season	335	329	664
Total to same date last season	131	91	222
Total to same date 2 years ago	437	299	736
TULARE COUNTY.			
December 2	179	0	179
Total to date this season	1339	65	1404
Total to same date last season	1874	11	1885
BUTTE COUNTY.			
December 2	26	0	26
Total to date this season	180	0	180
Total to same date last season	102	0	102

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Farmers' & Merchants' Nat. Bank, Cor. Fourth and Main	I. W. HELLMAN, Pres. V. H. ROSSETTI, Cash'r	Capital ......$1,500,000 Surplus and Profits $2,000,000
National Bank of California, N.E. Cor. Fourth & Spring	J. E. FISHBURN, Pres. H. S. McKee, Cashier.	Capital ......$500,000 Surplus and Profits $300,000
First National Bank, S.W. Cor. Seventh and Spring	J. M. ELLIOTT, Pres. W. T. S. HAMMOND, Cashier.	Capital ......$1,500,000 Surplus and Profits $2,592,664.29
Merchants' National Bank, Corner of Sixth and Spring.	W. H. HOLLIDAY, Pres. J. H. RAMBOZ, Cashier.	Capital ......$1,000,000 Surplus and Profits $500,000

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Swift & Company
Union Stock Yards, Chicago, Dec. 3, 1914

Dividend No. 113

Dividend of ONE DOLLAR and SEVENTY-FIVE CENTS ($1.75) per share on the capital stock of Swift & Company, will be paid on Jan. 1st, 1915, to stockholders of record, Dec. 10, 1914, as shown on the books of the Company.

On account of annual meeting, transfer books will be closed from December 10, 1914, to January 5, 1915, inclusive.

F. S. HAYWARD, Secretary

The Public Service.

At the City Hall.

ELECTION CALL YET UNISSUED.

TWO COUNCIL MEMBERS BLOCK THE ORDINANCE.

Suspension of Rules Requires Unanimous Consent, so Final Action Goes Over One Week—Betkouski and Snowden Remain Firm in Their Opposition.

Councilmen Betkouski and Snowden yesterday prevented the passage by the City Council of the ordinance calling a special election on December 31 on the proposed charter amendments.

"Filibusters" is the term applied to these two members by their colleagues yesterday.

"We are consistent," was the reply of the Councilmen, who would not be forced into line when it was proposed to vote upon the suspension of the rules so that the election ordinance might be adopted upon its first presentation.

The Council met in adjourned session in the afternoon and the City Attorney presented the election ordinance. A unanimous vote of the Council is required to suspend the rules and adopt an ordinance, and if any member objects the ordinance has to go over for one week.

When the motion was made to suspend the rules, Councilman Betkouski immediately took the floor.

"I feel that I cannot vote for this measure," said he, "as I feel it my duty to go out and work as earnestly as possible against the proposed amendments. It would not be consistent for me to vote now for the calling of an election, and then have to go out and make explanations. I propose to be consistent in this matter all the way through. I cannot vote now, nor at any other time, for the measure."

Councilman Snowden took the same position.

"I voted against this in the first place," said Mr. Snowden, "and I propose to follow this course and be consistent.

"I do not believe the people of Los Angeles want another election at this time. Some of the members of this Council are trying to 'kid' themselves into the belief that these amendments will carry, but I am more firmly convinced than ever before that the amendments will be defeated if they go to a vote. None of them are of such overwhelming importance that they require rush action.

"I admit that we did vote some time ago to instruct the Efficiency Commission to prepare amendments, but we didn't anticipate that it would present a proposition to practically overturn the present mode of government.

"These theories look very nice on paper, and there are ingenious explanations, but I believe the workings of the present form of government can be used to advantage if the dead wood is cut out of every department."

When the word "filibuster" was applied, Councilman Bryant took up the cudgels for the two members, stating that, in view of their previous action he believed they were justified in the stand they took, and that disparaging arguments were out of place.

President Whiffen was equally outspoken. "I honor them for the stand they have taken today," said he. "I shall vote for the ordinance today, as I voted to instruct the City Attorney to prepare the election call. If we were voting on it for the first time today, I should vote differently. We shall have ample time to pass the ordinance next week."

Councilman Conwell urged that time is of great importance in the campaign, and that people will not contribute for literature and a campaign of education while there is uncertainly as to the issuance of the election call.

"We'll lose nothing by the week's delay," declared Councilman Snowden. "There's no telling what changes in attitude may take place in the minds of members of this Council before the ensuing week is over."

The vote on suspension of rules was taken and stood seven in favor, and Betkouski and Snowden opposing.

The Council then sent to the Finance Committee a resolution of Councilman Conwell requiring the City Clerk to send out to all voters full copies of the proposed amendments ten days before the date of the proposed election. The printing and stuffing of these amendments will cost about $700. The cost of the election will be about $30,000. The election call requires five members of the election board for each precinct, and it is proposed to use the same voting-places as those for the last election.

AS PER PROGRAMME. MOHLER'S JOB HOLDS.

Charles K. Mohler's $300-a-month job as chief engineer of the railroad department of the Board of Public Utilities is still safe to him. The Municipal League has fulfilled prognostications and is paving the way for a further hold of Mr. Mohler on the job that the board at one time declared vacant. It issued the following appeal to the City Council yesterday:

"This letter is in reference to our communication sent you October 21, 1914, in regard to the subject of investigating the apparent conflicting powers or duties of the Board of Public Utilities in their relation to those of the City Council.

"Concerning the questions involved, we now feel that in our judgment any contemplated action either in the way of an investigation or on the part of the board which would cause any change at this time should be deferred until after the charter amendment election, to be held December 31, 1914, as the incorporation of the proposed amendments into our city charter would mean a complete reorganization of the Board of Public Utilities within a comparatively short time after their adoption. We therefore urge your honorable body to allow present conditions to remain as they are until after the election referred to has been held."

OFFERS FRANCHISE. FOR MALABAR DISTRICT.

The City Council voted yesterday to advertise for sale the proposed franchise for a street car line for the Malabar district, Boyle Heights, in accordance with the amended route.

The bond was fixed at $2500, and bids will be opened on December 21. The route as now outlined will start at Brooklyn and Evergreen avenues; thence running on Evergreen avenue to Wabash avenue; thence on Wabash avenue to the easterly city limits.

The franchise is asked for by the Malabar District Improvement Association, which hopes to negotiate with the Los Angeles Railway Corporation for an extension of the yellow line into the district mentioned.

WANT REROUTING. FOR MANCHESTER CARS.

The patrons of the Vermont-Manchester car line made a strong appeal before the Public Utilities Committee of the City Council yesterday for a rerouting of cars on that route so that about fifteen minutes might be saved in reaching the downtown district. They declared that they are now required to travel 28 per cent. further than would be necessary with a direct routing.

After a hearing in which much spirit was manifested, and in which unnecessary delays in action were charged against the Board of Public Utilities, it was decided to refer the entire matter to this board, in conference with officials of the railway and the patrons of the line.

BIG INCREASES. IN PUBLIC IMPROVEMENTS.

In the fiscal year of 1908-1909 the total extent of street improvements was 14.704 miles. There has been a constant increase from year to year in the extent of improved mileage, and for the fiscal year of 1913-1914 there were improved 70.56 miles.

A summary of the work included in the periods mentioned was filed with the Board of Public Works yesterday by the City Engineer. This shows that while only 14.704 miles were improved in the fiscal year of 1908-1909, in the following year of 1909-1910 there were 34.167 miles improved; in 1910-1911 there were 37.106 miles improved, showing 8.6 percentage of increase; in 1911-1912 there were 60.55 miles improved, showing an increase of 6.31 per cent.; in 1912-1913 there were 65.32 miles improved, an increase of 7.88 per cent., and in 1913-1914 there were 70.56 miles improved, showing an increase of 8.02 per cent.

ARMED PEACE. FOR ATTORNEY AND BOARD.

In the presence of members of the City Council and citizens of Wilmington and San Pedro, the Harbor Commission and City Attorney threshed out their differences yesterday. The outcome was practically an armed peace, with the declared intention on both sides to do all in their power to forward the interests of the harbor development plans.

The City Attorney declared that great injustice had been done him in charges made by the commission and the latter insisted that it had not been fully recognized in the presentation of harbor ordinances before they went to the Council. Each side blamed the other for delays in the completion of the long talked of terminal agreement, and there were oodles of side matters lugged in until one by one the Councilmen left in sheer weariness, with the threat that unless a radical change takes place the Council itself will take the entire subject up and straighten it out, so that there may be no further delays in harbor matters.

At the conclusion of the discussion both sides to the controversies—the plural is used advisedly—were of the opinion that they could now get down to definite and prompt action. There were smiles all 'round—but the snickeranee was laid safely within reach.

MUNICIPALOGRAMS AND ABOUT THE HALL.

A petition has been filed with the City Council that the name of Hewitt street be re-established as it existed before changed to Fourth street. The City Engineer has been asked to make a recommendation.

The Los Angeles Horse Owners' Protective Association has asked the City Council to take action for the restoration of the old driveway along the west bank of the Los Angeles River and north of Seventh street. This has been referred to the Public Works Committee.

O. Katanian and others have petitioned the Council to except the block between Nos. 397 and 406 South Giess street from the residence district, so milk depots may be conducted there.

The California Real Estate and Building Company has been granted permission by the City Council to sewer by private contract Berendo street and Heliotrope drive from Santa Monica boulevard to Lexington avenue.

C. Fais and others have asked the Council to pass an ordinance governing the fire restrictions upon vacant properties situated at Main and Washington streets, the old Chutes Park properties, as under existing ordinances only Class A buildings can be erected thereon. The petitioners desire to utilize the land for animal cages. The petition has been sent to the Public Safety Committee.

The Council has asked the City Engineer to make a recommendation on the petition from John Wesley Wilson and others for the change of the name of Massachusetts avenue to Monte Vista street.

The Public Welfare Committee is to consider at its next meeting the petition of the National Association of Stationary Engineers for the adoption of an ordinance creating the position of elevator inspector and amending the present ordinance on this subject so as to segregate the position from that of boiler and elevator inspector.

Another indication of the disturbance that is caused to property owners by the nightly harangues of street speakers is shown in the petition of W. M. Petifils and others, asking the City Council to extend southerly to Tenth street the zone in which street speaking is prohibited. This petition will be considered by the Public Welfare Committee of the Council next Monday morning, at the same time the petition to close Eighth street to public speaking is taken up.

Ordinances for the improvement of Vernon avenue from Alameda to Main street; Mariposa avenue, from Sunset boulevard to Fountain avenue; the alley between Eighth and Ninth, Spring and Broadway, and the paving of the Wilhardt improvement district have been adopted by the City Council.

The City Council yesterday passed an ordinance prohibiting children under 8 years of age in any park wherein there is a lake unless accompanied by a guardian. This measure is to prevent children from falling into the lakes.

JUDGMENT IS REVERSED.

The Supreme Court has reversed the judgment of Superior Court Judge Conrey, granting a new trial to the Southern Pacific Railway Company, in the action brought by Ida M. Sherwin, executrix of the estate of B. E. Sherwin, for injuries received while a passenger from Citrus to Los Angeles on April 23, 1911. The jury returned a verdict against the company for $4500. After the trial and before the appeal was perfected, Mr. Sherwin died, and the executrix prosecuted the case. Judge Conrey gave the company a new trial. There was no appeal from the judgment.

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CASE ISN'T JUST WHAT IT APPEARED TO BE.

Failure of Purchaser of Lot to Record Deed Until After Judgment is Given for Strip Taken Leads to Legal Suit Revealing Many Strange Angles.

What appeared to be a simple matter of contempt, resolved itself into a complex matter, which Presiding Judge Wood unraveled yesterday. Briefly, the story is that September 27, 1907, James M. Patillo, a cement contractor, sold a lot he owned to Herman F. Schilling, a traveling salesman. The city last year took a ten-foot strip from the lot and in condemnation proceedings awarded judgment for $427.63.

The judgment, however, was awarded in favor of Mr. Patillo. He apparently never knew this, having forgotten that he owned the lot, one of a number the firm of Patillo, Pattie & Huddleston received in part payment for street work.

On October 27, 1913, Mr. Patillo testified yesterday he was approached by A. T. Stewart, a young man, who said he had information of value to impart to him. But before this could be divulged, he asked Mr. Patillo to sign an agreement which called for a split of fifty-fifty. The agreement was signed, and then Mr. Stewart told him there was a judgment of $427.63 coming to him on the books of the County Treasurer for land taken on the lot he owned in the Moneta-Figueroa tract.

It seems that the contracting firm had unloaded its lots just after the San Francisco earthquake and fire and used the money. Mr. Patillo failed in 1910, and he said he lost everything. He told Mr. Stewart he could not remember about any particular lot. He received his share of the judgment and said he took his wife to San Francisco for the first vacation in three years.

Mr. Stewart testified that he had examined the records and found the lot was recorded in the name of Mr. Patillo. It developed that Mr. Schilling had not recorded his deed for a number of years, which caused the mix-up, Mr. Stewart's search having been before that date. It also was shown that Mr. Schilling had transferred the lot to Emma Angel, who demanded the judgment money.

Another factor in the case was the statement that Mrs. Angel has to meet today assessments for more than the judgment.

Judge Wood found there was no contempt, but he said it was apparent that Mr. Patillo and Mr. Stewart obtained money to which they were not entitled. He said the only thing to do was for them to return the money to the court. Mr. Stewart agreed to do this and gave his check for his 50 per cent. Mr. Patillo asked for time and was given thirty days. He is to pay $100 of his 50 per cent. on Monday, which he said he would have to borrow. The question now arises whether Mrs. Angel or Mr. Schilling, who is now in New York, is entitled to the money.

TUFTS-BOLANDS. THE PAPERS INTRODUCED.

The introduction of two wills and a codicil all drawn up by Francis H. Boland, an attorney, who was made a beneficiary and is now suing for attorney's fees, was the feature of his suit against Mrs. Jenny H. S. Roe Tufts before a jury in Judge McCormick's court yesterday. The documents were offered by the defense to show a conspiracy on the part of Mr. Boland to make business out of the fortune of Mrs. Tufts.

The first will was drawn in this city, March 24, 1912, three weeks after Mr. Boland was retained as Mrs. Tufts's attorney in the prosecution of her husband, Gorham Tufts, Jr. In this will she bequeathed $5000 to Mr. Boland and gave $500 to each domestic and other persons, who were witnesses in the proceedings against Charles T. Parnell, the so-called love slave of Mr. Tufts.

The second will, drawn at Chicago in December, 1912, made no mention of the $500 bequests to the witnesses, but gave Mr. Boland $10,000. The codicil, which Mrs. Tufts did not sign, gave Mr. Boland $10,000 additional.

The defense also introduced a letter written to Mrs. Tufts by Mr. Tufts from the County Jail, where he was under sentence for obtaining money of his wife under false pretences and later released, informing her that his conviction was a frame-up. He said he had receipts for all but $41 of the $4100 he was charged with taking.

The examination at present is principally to ascertain how Mr. Boland charged for his alleged professional services. The trial will be resumed Monday.

WILL TAKE TIME. CASE NOT TRANSFERRED.

John Lapique, whose alleged contemptuous affidavit filed in the Pierre Agoure estate charged judges of the Superior Court with bias and prejudice, asked for a continuance when he appeared before Presiding Judge Wood yesterday on an order to show cause why he should not be punished for contempt. A continuance was based on the ground that he desired to be represented by counsel and could not arrange with him because he was out of the city.

"You have had ample time to get counsel," the court told him, "and it is only to avoid any possible misconstruction that I grant you a continuance to which I do not think you are entitled. I shall only continue it until Tuesday and you will have to be ready then. Meantime, let me say this:

"I did not intend to hear this myself. I intended to transfer it to another department for the reason that this department cannot very well take the necessary time from other work it has to do. Yesterday you filed notice of a change of venue in the Agoure case and an affidavit in which you make grossly untrue statements. This court cannot permit you to make such statements in the hope of getting the case transferred to another department. I stated once before when you made a similar affidavit that it will not avail you. In this case, the court will file a response. The matter will be heard here."

In the affidavit referred to by the court, charges were made against Judge Wood that he was biased against Mr. Lapique. He expects to take the stand next Tuesday and refute this charge. Mr. Lipique has subpoenaed a dozen witnesses in his own behalf. The proceedings are apt to be heated.

COURT PARAGRAPHS. PROCEEDINGS IN BRIEF.

SEEKS DAMAGES. J. O. Cobb wanted the city to pay him $1500 damages to his property for lowering the grade of Pacific avenue, Wilmington, in a suit tried by a jury in Judge Myers' court yesterday. The city and the Fairchild-Gilmore-Wilton Company were named defendants. By the change of grade Mr. Cobb's property at Olive and Pacific avenues was about ten feet above the grade of the street. The city set up that instead of damaging the property, it was worth more now than before the improvement was made.

WANTS MONEY BACK. In a complaint filed yesterday against the Chandler Improvement Company and naming the directors as directors, M. A. Bonner alleges that he bought forty shares of water stock from an association supplying water from Salt River, Arizona, and discovered there was no supply. He asserted he paid $6500 for forty acres in Maricopa county, Arizona, and the forty shares of water stock of the Salt River Valley Water Users' Association. He wants the money refunded as he cannot get water for irrigation purposes, he declared.

INCORPORATIONS. Trans-Pacific Sponge Company, incorporators F. G. Mortimer, J. A. Campbell and F. C. Rounds, capital stock $25,000, subscribed $30; San Francisco Reduction Company, incorporators Charles D. Crouch, V. E. Crouch, J. U. Gridley, George Hansen and G. Micon, capital stock $50,000, subscribed $500; Newburg Trunk Company, incorporators Fred Newburg, Mary Q. [illegible], G. W. Pearson, capital stock [illegible], subscribed $2000; Pacific [illegible] Welding Company, incorporators [illegible] Thornblade, W. A. Cleach, [illegible] Rae, M. N. Yesberg, M. L. [illegible], David T. Roy and J. H. [illegible], capital stock $250,000, subscribed [illegible]; Terminal Warehouse Company, incorporators Clyde Ellwood, G. A. [illegible], J. L. Stone, R. G. Muss and [illegible] Smurr, capital stock $1,000,000, subscribed $500; Co-Operative [illegible] tion Company, incorporators [illegible] Barber, F. M. Kirby, D. [illegible], Kemp, Frank Helvner, [illegible] and P. O. Shumusk, capital stock [illegible]000, subscribed $700.

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Smoking Jackets $6.50

—There is a heap of comfort in a smoking jacket, to accompany pipe and slippers in resting hours. And when genuine all wool melton is used for jackets, when the shawl collars are finished with cord and braid and when the seams are piped with satin they are warm, good looking jackets, fine enough for any man to be proud of. Others from $4.00 to $12.00.

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(Men's Store—Main Floor—Today)

"Children's Day Today"

—And what a joyous welcome awaits them—for old Santa has planned a day of lively fun for the little folks. He invites them to come and see and enjoy his treasures—his toys that he has gathered from the great toy centers of the Old World and the new. Dolls, hundreds and hundreds of them, and toys—all the kinds that the little folks delight to see. There are to be many other attractions too, a Punch and Judy Show, Santa's aeroplane and shadowgraph, and of course, candy for every little girl and boy. Santa will give, also, a funny German toy to every boy and girl following his 10:30 and 3:30 entertainments.

Tree Ornaments!

—"All the glittering, pretty things imaginable are here—in fact the most complete assortment of tree ornaments on the Pacific Coast," says Santa Claus. There are fancy glass balls, beads, tree tops, angel hair, diamond dust, snow men, tinsel, garlands, real moss, artificial trees, filled stockings, etc. Prices range from 1c to $1.25 each.

Jointed Dolls

—Including both foreign and American made dolls—the most complete assortment in town. Of good quality, with bisque heads, sleeping eyes and eye lashes, chemise and slippers. Prices range from 25c to $[illegible]

Kid Dolls, 50c to $5.50—the most popular with bisque head and sleeping eyes.

Character Baby Dolls, 25c to $7.50—with or without hair.

Construction Toys

—Santa Claus' most popular and practical gift for the boys—and Hamburger's assortments include both Meccano and Erector toys. Practically any construction is possible with one of these. Meccano sets, $1.00 to $10.00; Erector sets, 50c to $15.00.

Dressed Dolls

—Especially dressed to our order by the foremost makers of Europe, therefore exclusive in design. With sleeping eyes and mohair wigs. Prices 25c to $32.50.

Kindergarten Sewing Sets 65c

—And complete with various kinds of materials so that little miss can start to make pretty things at once. A thimble and pair of scissors with each set, too.

Dolls Trunk, $1.50 — made in Paris — with tray; trunk 12½ inches long.

Paint Set, $1.50—contains a variety of paints and crayons, pictures and easel.

Roly Poly Toy, 25c

—And a funny toy is the roly poly toy. In a variety of different characters, all painted and painted not to come off; 5½ inches high.

Pacific Roly Poly, 50c—made especially for Hamburger's in Europe. The base represents the globe with a steamer passing through the Panama Canal;; height 6 inches.

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Striking Bags, $2.00—of wine colored leather complete with gum bladder.

Soldier Sets, $1.50

—A full infantry and all in fighting position; contains 23 soldiers.

Horse and Cart, 50c—horse of plush on wheels, cart painted in yellow and blue.

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